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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Fair and warmer today; tomorrow, cloudy and warmer.
Temperature yesterday—Max. 38; min. 29.
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DOUBT IF BISHOP CAN TRY DR. PARKS ON HERESY CHARGE

Church Authority Says Rector Did Not Deny Any Episcopal Doctrine.

UNREST IN THE SEMINARY

Rev. Dickinson S. Miller Said to Have Resigned Chair on Account of Bishop's Letter.

PRESBYTERIANS IN REVOLT

Modernist Faction Protests Against Five Articles of Faith Affirmed at Last General Assembly.

While leaders in the Modern Churchmen's Union of America are keeping their ears every moment to the ground waiting for the word that Bishop Manning has summoned Dr. Parks to a trial for heresy, the Rev. Dr. William M. Gilbert, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Yonkers, pointed out yesterday that Bishop Manning has not at present sufficient grounds to try Dr. Parks. Dr. Gilbert is a member of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of New York and a close personal friend of Bishop Manning.

He recalled that Bishop Manning did not have as good a case against Dr. Parks as he had against the Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant a year ago, when Dr. Grant, in a sermon, questioned the divinity of Christ, Bishop Manning called on him either to retract or face a trial. Dr. Grant did not retract, but he sent Bishop Manning an explanation which made it impossible for Bishop Manning to consider his sermon a denial of the deity of Christ.

Dr. Gilbert also pointed out that Dr. Parks last Sunday did not deny the virgin birth or the bodily resurrection of Christ; that he did not say whether he disbelieved in these doctrines; that he simply discussed reasons why some could believe and others could not, and argued that disbelief in these two articles of the Creed did not disbar one from being a good churchman.

Bishop's View of Grant Case.

Dr. Gilbert called attention to the declaration of Bishop Manning before the Episcopal Church Club of New York Feb. 8 last at a dinner in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, when the Grant controversy was at its height. Bishop Manning said at that time:

"I am receiving a great many touching letters," he said, "from earnest Christian people of all Churches who are perplexed and troubled by certain recent events, and I do not wonder that they are perplexed and troubled.

"To reassure the writers of these letters and others who feel as they do, I want to say with all possible plainness at this representative gathering of our diocese that if any minister of this Church, Bishop, priest or deacon, should deny the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ and express this denial in words clear, courageous and unambiguous, such as the Church can deal with, no one need have the least fear that the Church will shrink from meeting this issue and that she will fail to take definite action, and the whole body of the clergy and people of this Church will approve and support such action. But the point to be kept clear in the mind is that the Church cannot take formal action against denial of her faith unless the denial is expressed in words that are clear and unevasive and are acknowledged by their author."

In conclusion Dr. Gilbert said that although members of the Modern Churchmen's Union were arguing that Bishop Manning would have to take action against Dr. Parks because of the declaration in his Waldorf-Astoria speech, on the other hand it gave Bishop Manning the surest ground in the world for not taking any steps to try Dr. Parks.

Await Bishop's Sermon.

Some of those close to Bishop Manning have a growing belief that he will not issue any statement or take any action at all on the Parks sermon. Others think he may make some reference to the Modernist attack on the doctrine of the virgin birth in his Christmas Day sermon at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. He will preach at the regular 11 o'clock morning service that day, and will also speak at the popular services to be held in the cathedral on the evening of Dec. 27. The services on the 27th will mark a golden jubilee of the charter for the cathedral and will be used to further the campaign for $15,000,000 to build the nave of the cathedral.

A supporter of the Pastoral Letter issued by the Bishops at their meeting in Dallas, Texas, a month ago took Dr. Parks to task yesterday for saying last Sunday that the Bishops were declaring new doctrine, which they have no authority to do. He said:

"The 'Modern Churchmen' say the Bishops can't change the doctrine of the church, which is true. But it is the Modernists who are trying to change the doctrine of the Church. What the Bishops do in the pastoral letter is simply to uphold the doctrine of the Church as it has always been believed and taught.

"The Bishops did exactly what they are required to do. Of course they cannot put forth new doctrine. And that is the very last thing, I am informed, they attempted to do. The Bishops did not try to change the doctrine. They issued a Pastoral Letter telling the Modernists that they cannot make changes in the doctrine."

Liberal Revolt Spreads.

The Modernist agitation which led the Rev. Dr. Leighton Parks of St. Bartholomew's Church to throw down the gauntlet to the Fundamentalist Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church last Sunday was reported yesterday to be

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Rockefeller Gift of £50,000 to Edinburgh Medical School

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EDINBURGH, Dec. 18.—A gift of £50,000 has been made to Edinburgh University by the Rockefeller trustees of New York for fuller equipment of the university on its medical side.

The Edinburgh Medical School is one of the most famous in the world and it has been the aim of the university authorities to maintain that high reputation. To enable them to do so, however, it realized that an advance had to be made, especially in laboratory equipment.

The Rockefeller trustees solved their difficulty in regard to the clinical laboratory. The gift will be used for the erection of such laboratories in association with the Royal Infirmary and also for completion of the endowment of a professorship of surgery on a full time basis.

COOLIDGE HOLDS UP ARKANSAS ROAD AID

Orders All Federal Money Withheld Pending Investigation of State Conditions.

WASTE AND GRAFT CHARGED

Secretary of Agriculture Will Take Up Reports of Many Irregularities.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—President Coolidge has directed the Secretary of Agriculture to withhold Federal aid road appropriations from the State of Arkansas pending an investigation into charges that the manner of assessing road taxes by that State was leading to confiscation of thousands of farms, and was proving a great burden to the taxpayers rather than a benefit. The Secretary of Agriculture has been instructed to make a thorough investigation into all the conditions, including not only the manner of making road tax assessments, but allegations of waste and graft.

Indications are that the investigation now started in Arkansas, after a long agitation by the Farmers' Union and farmer taxpayers of that State, will develop into an inquiry by Congress or the Department of Agriculture into the entire Federal aid system in other States as well.

It was made clear at the White House today that if the charges proved well founded there could be no Federal money apportioned to Arkansas until President Coolidge was convinced that the present system had been so modified that road building could go forward as a boon to farmers and not a burden. It was represented to the President that in very many cases the farmers did not earn enough money to pay the high road taxes, and that their farms were seized to pay these taxes.

Debt Exceeds $63,000,000.

President Coolidge acted upon complaint of the National Farmers' Union. The memorandum submitted to him by C. H. Barrett, President of the union, alleged that thousands of farmers in Arkansas are threatened with confiscation of their homes as the result of the mountain-high road taxes levied in that State. The principal of that debt, which draws interest at the average rate of 5 per cent., already is in excess of $63,000,000. In scores of instances farms are now in the hands of Federal receivers because of inability of their owners to meet the road taxes.

The speed with which President Coolidge acts in matters such as this Arkansas road business is illustrated in this instance. The memorandum of the National Farmers' Union was placed before him early in the afternoon of Dec. 11. Two hours later the President had acted and the Secretary of Agriculture had been ordered to stop all Federal aid payments until the charges made by the National Union were cleared up.

The letter to Secretary Wallace read:

"The White House,
"Washington, Dec. 11, 1923.

"My Dear Mr. Secretary:

"Enclosed is a communication about Federal roads in Arkansas. The situation is such that I consider it unwise to allot any more money to the State of Arkansas until these charges are cleared up. I do not understand how any land there could be in the hands of Federal receivers, except through voluntary bankruptcy, but, in so far as I have authority to give you any directions, they are to the effect that no money be allotted to Arkansas until these charges are cleared up.

"Very truly yours,
"CALVIN COOLIDGE.

"Hon. Henry Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture."

It was said tonight by a man in touch with the Federal highway situation that

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MEXICAN FACTIONS SEEK AN ARMISTICE AFTER HARD BATTLE

Federals Win San Marcos, Then Are Driven Out by Rebels—Fighting Has Ceased.

CHIEF OF STAFF IS KILLED

Leader of Rebel Column Wounded—Loyal Troops Reported to Be Attacking Puebla.

OBREGON LEAVES FRONT

Plans Campaign Against Rebel Base at Vera Cruz—Calles Raising an Army in San Luis Potosi.

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 18 (Associated Press). — Rebel reinforcements have forced the Obregon troops to withdraw from the town of San Marcos, on the railroad east of Mexico City, according to newspaper accounts reaching here from the fighting zone.

The Obregonist vanguard, the dispatches say, is still along the railroad. Their general headquarters is at Huamantla, about ten miles northwest of San Marcos, on the Mexican Railway. They are under command of General Eugenio Martinez.

The correspondents who are with the rebel columns advancing over the Interoceanic and Mexican Railway lines dwell on the importance of the fighting around San Marcos. They say that owing to the size of the forces engaged it cannot be called a battle between advance guards.

In the fighting at San Marcos only one rebel column, that of General Villanueva, was engaged against the Federal forces. Villaqueva was among those wounded, according to an official statement to revolutionary headquarters, which adds that altogether the rebels suffered thirty casualties.

The same statement says that General Cavazos, Obregon's Chief of the General Staff, who commanded the Federal vanguard, was killed during the fighting.

A correspondent with the column of the rebel General Gonzales, in a dispatch from Rinconada, about fifteen miles east of San Marcos on the Mexican Railway, referring to the advance toward San Marcos from Esperanza, declares it was made without difficulty after the road near Aljides had been repaired. The column reached San Marcos this afternoon.

According to this correspondent the fighting at San Marcos has ceased. He says both sides are holding their positions while an armistice is being arranged.

Adolfo de la Huerta, leader of the revolt, with headquarters in Vera Cruz, conferred by wire with General Martinez in an endeavor to reach an understanding regarding a cessation of hostilities.

General Belmar, Federal commander of the garrison at Puerto Mexico, arrived here today, having surrendered to the revolutionists yesterday. In an interview General Belmar said he had not joined the rebel movement, because the only information he had of the situation was that Vera Cruz was in the hands of the revolutionists. Now that he had learned of the growth of the movement, he said, he would offer his services to the rebels.

A communiqué issued by the Huertistas reports that Guadalupe in the State of Chihuahua has fallen into rebel hands.

It is stated that General Rosalio Hernandez has gone into revolt in Boquilla del Carmen, Coahuila, and is beginning to organize volunteer forces.

Advices received at the rebel headquarters here by way of Laredo, Texas, state that President Obregon withdrew some troops from Irapuato, considering that his forces were not strong enough to resist those of General Enrique Estrada, the rebel commander in the western zone.

From the same source comes the statement that all the Federal forces in the States of San Luis Potosi and Tamaulipas have also been retired.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Official dispatches received by the Mexican Embassy today from Mexico City said the Federal forces had occupied San Marcos and that this had placed them in a position to cut off the "retreat" of

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Raisuli Dead From Poison, According to Tangier Report

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The Daily Mail's Tangier correspondent sends the announcement of the death of the notorious Moorish chief Raisuli.

It is suspected, according to this dispatch, that Raisuli was poisoned.

Seventeen years before the recent defeat of the Spanish armies in Morocco, the name of Raisuli, who was responsible for that defeat, was well known in America.

Then he owed his fame to a phrase attributed to President Roosevelt, "Perdicaris alive or Raisuli dead," sent as an ultimatum to the Sultan of Morocco in regard to an American merchant, whom Raisuli had captured and held for ransom.

The captive was released, the Sultan of Morocco giving Raisuli the Governorship of a province in place of the $70,000 ransom demanded.

Subsequently for the release of the British General, Sir Harry MacLean he got most of the $200,000 he demanded, and the Governorship of Tangier in addition.

RELATIVE OF DEWEY KILLS A HOLD-UP MAN

Paymaster Carrying $1,200 Answers a "Hands Up" Command With a Revolver Shot.

THREE SUSPECTS ARRESTED

Tell of Plot to Borrow Auto and Rob the Paymaster—Owner of Car Held.

Frank E. Dewey of Mount Vernon, paymaster for the five plants of the M. D. Mirsky Company, 116 West Twenty-third Street, New York, had a premonition of trouble yesterday afternoon when he stepped from a trolley car and approached the plant of the Newark Dress Company at 63 Hoyt Street, Newark, carrying a satchel in which was $1,200. So Dewey, who is left-handed, reached for the pistol in his overcoat pocket, slipped off the safety catch and kept a ready grasp on the weapon as he started up the spiral staircase to the offices of the plant.

As the paymaster, veteran of a long period of military service and the distant relative of the late Admiral Dewey, reached the second floor he heard footsteps ascending behind him and whirled just as a low voice said:

"Hands up!"

Dewey's weapon spoke almost before the command had all come away, and the robber, clutching a pistol that he had had no time to raise, slipped backward and slumped into the arms of a companion. Dewey fired two more shots that were ineffectual because of the screen furnished by the twisting stairs, then raced to the office on the third floor tossed his satchel to safe hands and shouted to the manager, A. Delbagno, that hold-up men were in the hallway.

Robber Found Dead Near Auto.

Paymaster and manager ran to the street, pistols in hand, only to find everything quiet and apparently normal with no signs of the marauders. But, glancing at the sidewalk, they spied a blood spot and then another and soon were hurrying along the red trail that led them a block and a half to an abandoned automobile. On a stoop near the car lay the man Dewey had shot. He was dead. He still held his pistol, which had jammed.

Newark detectives, arriving in response to an alarm telephoned from the plant, found that the automobile bore an omnibus license plate, although it was not a taxicab. It was traced to Leroy Powers of 90 Hawthorne Avenue, who admitted ownership of the car and explained that he had obtained the license for another car and had not bothered to get a new one for the Ford. The Ford, he added, had been borrowed from him yesterday morning by Joseph Stevens, Clarence Goldstink and George Chambers. Chambers lives at 13 Warren Street and the two others at 19 Warren Street. All are young men.

The detectives soon had Powers and the three named by him in custody. Then they learned that the dead man was Joe Boyle, also known as Joe Sullivan, living somewhere in New York.

Prisoners Tell of Plot.

The police said they got this story from Stevens, Goldstink and Chambers: In course of a discussion of payroll hold-ups Chambers, who is a sewing machine repair man, talked of the ease with which the payroll of the Newark Dress Company, where he worked, might be taken by bold men. Boyle suggested that they go after it, and it was agreed that Chambers should give a signal to identify the paymaster.

They borrowed Powers's car and Goldstink drove it to within a block and a half of the factory, remaining at the wheel while Sullivan and Stevens took up stations near the dress concern's door. Chambers came out at noon, set down his tool box, and told them that when Dewey, soon due, should approach he would pick up the box as a signal that their quarry was near.

A few minutes after noon Dewey came along and Chambers took up his tool kit and hurried away. Sullivan and Stevens followed the paymaster into the hallway and up the stairs. When Sullivan was shot Stevens dragged him to the street and got him within a few feet of the car. But Goldstink found that he could not start the machine, so they had to abandon the dying man and make their own escape.

They kept clear of their homes for several hours, then decided to go back. They found detectives waiting for them. None had a previous criminal record, so far as the police learned. In addition to holding Goldstink, Stevens and Chambers, the police held Powers in custody on a technical charge growing out of the use of the wrong license plate, until they could assay his story that he was an unwitting tool of the others.

MAT. TODAY. MADGE KENNEDY in "POPPY," with W. C. Fields. Biggest musical comedy hit of the year. APOLLO Thea.—Advt.

CRAFTMASTER MA-JONG Book Rules. 25c Page Lenore Carey's, Grand Central.—Adv.

Dinner and Dance in the Diffa Robbia Room of the Vanderbilt Hotel on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7 o'clock. Evening dress. $3.50 per person. Telephone Vanderbilt 7100 for reservations.—Advt.

TO LOOK AND FEEL BETTER TAKE Bell-Ans after meals.—Adv.

HUGHES REBUFFS SOVIETS ON PLEA FOR RECOGNITION

Secretary Asserts We "Do Not Propose to Barter Away Our Principles."

SEES NO CHANGE IN MOSCOW

And Declares That the Red Propaganda Continues Here Under Bolshevist Orders.

GOMPERS BACKS HIS STAND

He Declares American Labor Will Have No Communion With "Soviet Terrorism."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—President Coolidge flatly rejected today the latest Soviet overture for negotiations with a view to recognition of the régime at Moscow.

Under the President's instruction Secretary Hughes transmitted through the Consul at Reval a communication to Tchitcherin, Soviet Commissary for Foreign Affairs, telling him that this Government saw no reason for entering into negotiations for an agreement with the Soviet Government.

The Secretary's reply to the suggestion for such negotiations does not even take the form of a "note," but is intended by this Government to be merely a "statement" of the American attitude toward the proposal made by Tchitcherin in his telegram of Sunday to the President.

The State Department's announcement reads:

"With respect to the telegram to President Coolidge from Tchitcherin of Dec. 16, the Secretary of State today made the following statement in reply:

"'There would seem to be at this time no reason for negotiations. The American Government, as the President said in his message to the Congress, is not proposing to barter away its principles.

"'If the Soviet authorities are ready to restore the confiscated property of American citizens or make effective compensation they can do so.

"'If the Soviet authorities are ready to repeal their decree repudiating Russia's obligations to this country and appropriately recognize them, they can do so.

"'It requires no conference or negotiations to accomplish these results which can and should be achieved at Moscow as evidence of good faith.

"'The American Government has not incurred liabilities to Russia or repudiated obligations.

"'Most serious is the continued propaganda to overthrow the institutions of this country. This Government can enter into no negotiations until these efforts directed from Moscow are abandoned.'

"The United States Consul at Reval will deliver this statement to the Soviet representative at that place for communication to Tchitcherin."

The Administration's action came as no surprise to those in touch with the Russian policy of the Government and corroborates fully the Washington dispatch in THE NEW YORK TIMES, saying that America's answer would be an absolute rejection.

Soviet Seeks Settlement with Poland.

MOSCOW, Dec. 18.—Poland having recognized the new Federation of Soviet Republics, Foreign Minister Tchitcherin has sent a note to Warsaw proposing the immediate friendly adjustment of all difficulties between the two countries and the carrying out of the Treaty of Riga.

GOMPERS SCORES SOVIETS.

Denounces on Behalf of American Labor Move for Recognition.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. — Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, issued a statement tonight denouncing the Soviet approach for negotiations with the American Government, and declared American labor's hostility to the latest Tchitcherin move. Labor's position, said Mr. Gompers, is one of "unqualified opposition to any relations with Soviet terrorism."

"In view of the unwarranted diversity

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GREEK SOVEREIGNS ORDERED INTO EXILE AT DEMAND OF ARMY AND NAVY OFFICERS; NEW KING OR A REPUBLIC IS PROPOSED

King George II. Queen Elizabeth.
THE EXILED GREEK SOVEREIGNS.

FOES SEEK TO END DYNASTY

All the Woes of Greece Blamed on Constantine Family.

PRESENT KING ACCUSED

He Fomented Recent Unsuccessful Rebellion, Declares Militarists' Indictment.

EXPULSION CAMOUFLAGED

Return After Assembly Meets Is Suggested, but Banishment Is Believed Final.

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ATHENS, Dec. 18.—King George II. and Queen Elizabeth are to leave Greece at once aboard a Greek ship for a destination which is unknown, but is believed to be Rumania.

That the King should depart was decided at last night's meeting of the Cabinet in consequence of the demand for a republic and the presentation by Colonel Plastiras, head of the Revolutionary Committee, of a resolution on behalf of a number of officers in the army and navy.

The document read as follows:

In view of the following facts:

(1) That the guilt dividing the Hellenes is due to the Glucksburg dynasty;

(2) That the same dynasty prevented Greece from making a timely entry into the late war on the side of her natural allies for the sake of its family relationships, in spite of the opinion expressed by the people in the elections in 1915;

(3) That, owing to King Constantine's personal insistence on the adoption of a treacherous policy in violating the treaty with Serbia, Greece was dishonored;

(4) That the surrender to the Germans and the Bulgars of Fort Rupel in East Macedonia with one army corps resulted in the death of 80,000 people;

(5) That King Constantine's return, in spite of the allied note of Nov. 20, 1920, and his knowledge of the consequences, resulted in the Asia Minor calamity;

(6) That the honor of the army and nation was sacrificed in Asia Minor for the sake of an ignominious crown;

(7) That the same dynasty through the present King engineered the recent fratricidal movement endangering the nation simply to strengthen its tottering throne. Seeing that the maintenance of the Glucksburg dynasty is a national stigma which should be blotted out, the officers of the army and navy have unanimously decided that the forfeiture of the crown by this dynasty is a national necessity.

Cabinet Decides on Expulsion.

The Cabinet sat for two hours and decided that in the interests of a peaceful and unbiased debate on the constitutional question by the new Constituent Assembly it was desirable that the King should withdraw from the country till a definite decision had been reached. This decision was communicated to the King, whose reply has not yet been received. It is generally believed, however, that his Majesty will comply with it. If not, the Republicans have announced that they are determined to expel him forcibly. Arrangements have therefore been made for the departure of the King and Queen tonight on the Greek steamer Daphne. Rumors to the effect that they will sail on a British ship are inaccurate.

Nothing has yet been decided as to a regency. Probably the Cabinet will exercise the royal authority, or Admiral Koundouriotis may act.

Although the King's departure is not an abdication, it is believed here that he will never return to Greece, because, even if the Assembly refuses to establish a republic, it is thought that a new King will be elected.

King Expected to Go to Bucharest.

ATHENS, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—It was stated tonight that, according to the present arrangements, King George and Queen Elizabeth would leave for Bucharest tomorrow, making the first stage of the journey on a specially chartered Greek steamer.

Premier Gonatas and Colonel Plastiras' press agency advices say, signed the letter requesting the King to leave Greece after they had been interviewed by the military and naval delegation and by representatives of political and other organizations in the provinces. All of them urged removal of the dynasty. Premier Gonatas also received petitions signed by the officers and men of the Athens garrison asking that steps be taken to remove the monarch.

The letter to King George, it is said, was couched in rather stern language and contained the intimation that the sovereign's departure by evening at the latest was imperative. He was further told that the steamer Hesperia would be requisitioned for his leave-taking.

In replying to this notification, the King said in substance that he would conform with its suggestions, made under pressure from the army and navy and the Democratic Party. Although the King considered that he had kept aloof from politics, he said he was ask-

SAVES WITH $159,000 3,000 HOLIDAY FUNDS

J. H. Metcalf Makes Good the Club Accounts in Closed Providence Bank.

ENGAGES FORCE OF CLERKS

Philanthropist Did Not Want to See the Depositors Disappointed at This Season.

Special to The New York Times.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 18.—Jesse H. Metcalf, a wealthy resident of this city, today volunteered to pay in full the accounts of 3,000 depositors in the Christmas Savings Club of the Cosmopolitan Trust Company, recently ordered closed by the Bank Commissioner. More than $150,000 tied up in the accounts will be released to the depositors for use before Christmas.

Mr. Metcalf, in announcing today his plan to liquidate the accounts, prefaced his statement with the greeting: "Man wishes for a happy Christmas." The work of cashing the savings will begin tomorrow, and will continue for the rest of the week.

The depositors will sign over their accounts to Mr. Metcalf, and will be paid in cash advanced to him by the Rhode Island Hospital Trust Company. He has engaged a force of clerks and tellers to take care of the work, which will be conducted in the banking rooms of the Westminster Bank.

The offer is restricted to Christmas Club depositors. It does not include the regular savings bank depositors of the Cosmopolitan Trust Company, nor does it include the Christmas Club accounts of companies or individuals who have obtained such accounts by taking them over from original depositors.

Mr. Metcalf's statement follows:

"To the members of the Christmas Club of the Cosmopolitan Trust Company, with many wishes for a happy Christmas. In order that you may not be disappointed by not having the benefit of your savings to use at this season, I will buy all of your deposit books at their face value and accrued interest due under existing contracts, if presented in person this week at the Westminster Bank."

Mr. Metcalf, who is a member of one of the oldest and most wealthy families in Rhode Island, is a brother of Stephen O. Metcalf of this city and of the late Manton B. Metcalf of Orange, N. J., and New York. He is well known in this State for his philanthropic enterprises and gifts to educational institutions, chief among them those to Brown University. His most recent educational benefaction made in connection with his brothers, was the gift to Brown University of a $500,000 chemical laboratory, together with a sum sufficient for its maintenance. The laboratory is a memorial to his father, Jesse Metcalf.

China Buys Airplanes.

GENEVA, Dec. 18.—A Chinese officer who has just obtained a pilot's certificate at the military aerodrome at Dubendorf, near Zurich, has bought on behalf of his Government a number of fast airplanes and two hydroairplanes, which, after being tested, will be shipped to China under convoy of Chinese officers.

ITALY WARNS FRANCE ON OCCUPIED AREAS

Would Not Recognize an Independent Rhineland Nor Any Annexation Agreement.

BERLIN PLANS MORE LOANS

Paris Hears of Contemplated Request for Railroad and Raw Material Credits.

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ROME, Dec. 18.—It is understood that the Foreign Ministry has taken steps in Paris to let the Quai d'Orsay know that Italy will not recognize any agreement which may result from the negotiations between France the Germany which in any matter will change the present political status of the Ruhr and Rhineland. This means that Italy would look with ill favor upon the establishment of an independent Rhineland republic or upon annexation to France of the occupied territories, either of which steps, it is feared here, may be the outcome of the negotiations.

The Italian view is that, neither of these two eventualities being contemplated by the Treaty of Versailles, France would be violating the treaty if she attempted to bring them about. In that case, it is intimated, Italy probably would complete revision of the treaty of Versailles.

This step is indicative of the apprehensions which are assailing Italian politicians. They fear that France may permanently settle down in the rich coal producing Ruhr district and that such action coupled with the reserves of iron actually in her possession would place her in the position to become a dangerous rival of all other European industrial nations and especially of Italy, which possesses neither iron nor coal. Italy will therefore strenuously resist any settlement which would place France in permanent possession of the Ruhr coal mines.

The promises with which Premier Poincaré has answered Germany's proposal to negotiate is here ascribed entirely to the result of the British election. As Italy sees the situation France wishes to come to a definite settlement of the Ruhr problem with Germany before a Labor or Liberal Government is established in England, either of which, it is believed, would be likely to be less favorable to France than the Baldwin Cabinet has been.

Another section of public opinion, however, considers that a great step toward a definite solution has been taken by inducing France and Germany to enter upon negotiations, whatever chance these may have of being successful. These hopeful ones, however, see a long and rocky road before France and Germany can come to a durable agreement and think that even the two chiefly interested powers will soon come to the conclusion that revision of the Treaty of Versailles by all the signatories is the only way out of the impasse.

OPPOSE GERMAN REQUEST.

France and Belgium Won't Agree to Priority for Food Loan.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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PARIS, Dec. 18.—The German request for permission to float a $70,000,000 loan for the purchase of foodstuffs in America which shall have precedence over reparations payments bids fair to arouse a great deal of international discussion. It comes before the Reparation Commission tomorrow. It is probable that the Reparation Commission will rule that it is not competent and that the allied Governments must make the decision.

The French and Belgians are quite determined to oppose the granting of the request, but they appear new to wish to accompany their rejection by some provision which will not close the door to Germany getting the food she may need. To grant, however, the German demand as it stands and permit her to pay America for food $70,000,000 which otherwise would go for reparations—at least theoretically—is something the French will not accept.

Article 251, under which Germany makes her request, provides for assistance to Germany to enable her to meet her reparation obligations in view of

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Better Buy 3 Copies of "DR. DOOTOR" Harry Leon Wilson's New Novel, at your gas READ one when your friends borrow the other. All bookstores, $2.00.—Advt.

Necklaces for Bracelet, Solitaire or Queen back. All Terminal Barber Shops.—Advt.

Five Indicted for Fraud in Tucker Marriage; Annulment Offers Way Out to Boy Husband

Burton S. Tucker of South Essex, Mass., who was 18 years old when he married, and his forty-eight-year-old bride, Mrs. Susan O. Simpson-Tucker, were indicted in Hudson County yesterday for fraud in obtaining a license and conspiracy to defeat the marriage laws of New Jersey. John J. McInnis of Gloucester, Mass., chauffeur for the couple and witness to their marriage, George H. Grebe, Registrar of Vital Statistics of Union Hill, and John Muller, the Hoboken "marriage broker," who found a minister to perform the ceremony, all were indicted for their parts in the affair. The minister was exonerated.

Assistant Prosecutor McMahon, who presented the case, said that the boy could escape punishment if he would go into court and have his marriage annulled. Mr. McMahon also said that he had had many letters from mothers of young sons in various parts of the country, blaming the woman and demanding that boys be protected from designing elderly women.

J. Raymond Tiffany of Hoboken, counsel for the Tuckers, said that his clients were not in New Jersey, but that they would make no effort to evade the issue and would return promptly. McInnis is believed to be in Chicago. The others accused are expected to surrender.

The indictments are based on the fact that the boy pretended to be 21 and that the license was issued immediately after the application was made, where as the law requires forty-eight hours to elapse. Tucker and Mrs. Tucker both were indicted for perjury on the allegation that she, who is 42, falsely stated her age, setting herself down as 36 when she was 48. Mrs. Tucker, McInnis, Grebe and Muller were indicted for subornation of perjury, it being charged that they induced Tucker to perjure himself. All five were indicted for conspiracy to defeat the New Jersey marriage laws and Grebe was indicted for having failed to wait a proper time before issuing the license.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Burton S. Tucker are at Southern Pines, "enjoying the sports," according to a dispatch to The Raleigh News and Observer from its correspondent there.

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Breach of Promise Suits Don't Go in France; Paris Court Denies a Marquis's Plea

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PARIS, Dec. 18.—The Paris courts once more decided this afternoon that breach of promise in the American sense doesn't exist in France. This decision was given in the suit brought by the Marquis de Barrel de Ponteves against the Comtesse Henri de Beaurepaire, widow and heir of Ferris Thompson, who exercised a woman's prerogative of changing her mind. Mr. Thompson was a wealthy American.

The elderly Marquis asked half a million francs as damages and the return of alleged family heirlooms and trinkets which he bestowed on Mrs. Thompson. He will receive neither.

In rendering the decision the Court said that a person retained liberty up to the time of marriage, and consequently had a perfect right to change his or her mind. As to the trinkets and heirlooms, the Court stated they were freely given and that the recipient was entitled to keep them.

The Court also declared that "trial marriages" were immoral and not countenanced in France. This was elicited by the reference to an alleged marriage agreement referred to by the defendant in a letter, to the effect that if she married him she would be his wife in name only.

The decision in this case was eagerly awaited in France by many persons of both sexes, promising as it did to establish a precedent which would decide whether a number of other cases might be opened. The decision is wholly in keeping with French tradition on liberty of action. "Heart balm" is never existed in France, and if one sought to win a breach of promise suit it had to be backed up with proof of material loss or damage.

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tion that the National Assembly should be enabled to reach an unbiased decision on the constitutional question and was convinced that the people would freely express their will.

Royal Pension of 1,500,000 Drachmas.

Before his departure King George will receive 1,000,000 drachmas and henceforth will be placed on the civil list with a pension of 1,500,000 drachmas.

The Queen today received a number of Court ladies, bidding them farewell.

With the exception of two Republican newspapers, the Athenian press does not approve of the officers' demand for suppression of the dynasty.

The official communiqué issued after the Cabinet meeting said:

"As the Constituent Assembly based on the elections is about to meet to discuss the régime best suited to the country, the heads of the revolutionary Government considered that with a view to assuring calm in the debate on this very important question, it was their duty to convey to his Majesty the King the opinion that he should leave the country until such time as a final decision has been reached regarding the régime.

"This opinion has been communicated to the King, who will make known his reply tomorrow (Tuesday)."

Cries of "Down With the King."

Advocates of a republic were busily employed in Athens Monday in laying the groundwork for the move to oust the royal house. An anti-dynastic meeting was held in the afternoon, the demonstrators attending including members of the army and navy. Ex-Admiral Hadjikiriskos addressed the gathering. His speech evoked cries of "Down with the King!"

The demonstrators gathered originally outside Republican headquarters and then marched to the Premier's office, where they submitted a resolution passed at the meeting favoring the dethronement of King George. This done, they marched back to the starting point to await a reply. During the march the cry, "Down with the King!" was constantly repeated.

After a conference between the political and military leaders the demonstrators were notified that their resolution would be discussed at the Cabinet council then in session.

Britain Unlikely to Take Action.

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LONDON, Dec. 18.—The British Government is not likely to take any action as the result of the Greek request for the departure of King George. It regards the matter as the domestic concern of Greece, and it has no interest in influencing her as to one form of Government or another. All that has been done has been discreetly to intimate to the Greek representative in London that it would be well if those in control in Greece did nothing that would be likely to delay the return of Greece to full recognition as a member of the community of civilized nations.

As matters stand, Great Britain has technically broken off diplomatic relations with Greece as the result of the execution of the Kingdom's ex-Ministers. The Greek Minister is still resident in London, and the British Legation in Athens is in working order under a Secretary instead of a Minister. Necessary business is thus transacted between the two countries, in spite of the theoretical breach.

A Blow to Queen Marie's Ambitions.

LONDON, Dec. 18 (by Associated Press).—The news of the action taken in Athens toward the Greek monarchs was received with intense interest by the Government and the public. It was recalled that Great Britain, as the traditional sponsor and protector of the Greek Kingdom since 1821, had particular reason to view with anxiety and disapproval the sudden dethronement of the young King and Queen who, it is held here, acted throughout their short reign with discretion and circumspection.

But, whatever effect the extinction of royal institutions in Greece will have in England, its repercussion upon the royal houses in all the Balkan countries is likely in diplomatic quarters to be much more important. Those in touch with Near Eastern affairs point out that today's sensational events in Athens mean the shattering of the Queen of Rumania's dream of a powerful Balkan Federation whose members would be dominated by herself or her children.

A Central News dispatch from Athens says:

"The King is leaving for Bucharest this evening. It is stated on good authority that he has telegraphed Venizelos appealing to him to take over the reins of government. Admiral Koundouriotis has assumed the Regency until the future régime of the country is decided."

Koundouriotis a Friend of Venizelos.

In asking King George II. to sojourn abroad until the National Assembly, which was elected last Sunday, shall decide on what form the Government of Greece is to take, the revolutionary administration, of which Colonel Gonatas is Premier and Colonel Plastiras is the military head, follows to a certain extent the resolutions adopted at many public meetings recently held in Athens and elsewhere, although most of these resolutions demanded the immediate abdication of the dynasty and a Regency by the revolutionary Government until the Assembly acted.

When, in September, 1922, the Colonels Gonatas and Plastiras started the military revolution which was to deprive King Constantine, the father of King George, of his throne, and set out to punish those military and political leaders who might be found responsible for defeat of the Greek arms by the Turks, the man who has now become Regent, Admiral Koundouriotis, was first selected to be Premier. He declined, however, to associate with the revolutionists and dropped out of sight, forming a member of the colony of refugees which had joined Venizelos in his self imposed exile in the South of France.

Koundouriotis in fact, has been intimately associated with Venizelos ever since the early days of the World War, when the latter first as Premier and then as revolutionist, attempted to have King Constantine enter the war on the side of the Entente. When Venizelos led to his native Crete in September, 1916, and started the revolution for intervention, which was to prevail a year later when King Constantine was ousted by the Entente, Koundouriotis accompanied him as military organizer. He was chiefly responsible for the Venizelos volunteers, who were organized as a detachment of the Entente army at Salonika, where he became President of the Committee of Public Defense. Then at Suda, together with Venizelos, he proclaimed the Provisional Government, which lasted until the flight of Constantine and the proclamation of the latter's second son, Alexander, as King, when the country officially entered the war.

King George II. is the eldest surviving son of the late King Constantine, who died last January, four months after the success of the Gonatas-Plastiras revolution, which placed George on the throne. He was born July 19, 1890, and while Crown Prince married, Feb. 27, 1921, Princess Elizabeth, the eldest daughter of King Ferdinand and Queen Marie of Rumania.

At the time of the counter-revolution of General Metaxas last October, which was organized as a movement of reprisal against those who had brought to execution five of Constantine's Ministers and one General, King George came under suspicion, but was formally vindicated by the revolutionary Premier, Colonel Gonatas. Although the Metaxas revolt was severely put down, it gave new life to the republican movement, which was quietly being fostered by the friends of Venizelos remaining in Greece. The Gonatas-Plastiras Government at first tried to suppress this movement and then accepted it in theory, only stipulating that there should be no overt acts, and that the Republicans should wait to see how the elections went—the identical advice which Venizelos was offering from his retreat in France.

WARSHIPS PREPARED FOR ACTION AT CANTON

Two More American Vessels Arrive—Demonstration Against Sun's Threat to Seize Customs.

HONGKONG, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—The flotilla of foreign gunboats in the harbor of Canton, where a tense situation has prevailed since the recent threat of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, South China leader, to seize the customs funds, apparently is preparing for eventualities.

Some of the warships lying off Shameen, the foreign section of Canton, have been cleared for action, and French sailors from the cruiser Jules Ferry have landed at Shameen and are stationed in the old French Post Office building.

The naval forces of foreign powers now concentrated at Canton have been increased by the arrival of three American destroyers, which joined the two American warships, the cruiser Asheville and the gunboat Pampanga.

Five British gunboats, two French and one Portuguese vessel are anchored in the harbor off Shameen.

The Italians have chartered a steam launch to be used in the transportation of sailors from the foreign warships to the shore.

Apparently the action of the foreign flotilla is due to the recent move of Sun Yat-sen in notifying the Commissioner of Customs in Canton of his intention to supersede the Commissioner and the customs staff by new appointees.

Previously he had declared that he would take such action in the event the customs officials refused to turn over to him surplus customs funds of Kwangtung Province, which Sun claims are being diverted to Peking and used in the suppression of the movement he heads.

Following a meeting of commanders of the foreign warships and the consular body on Dec. 12, at which a dispatch from the diplomatic corps at Peking was considered, the commander of Sun's forces was advised to use caution, and not to seize the customs forcibly, owing to the diplomatic complications which would ensue.

Sun is said to have been dissuaded from seizing the customs on Dec. 16, although the Kwangtung Rehabilitation Society of Canton has issued a circular suggesting that no share of the customs funds be surrendered by the South China Government, as a protest against the action of foreign Governments in sending gunboats to Canton.

Following a mass meeting of Chinese at Canton, at which it was voted to support the Sun Yat-sen Government in its demands for the Kwangtung customs surplus, there was a large parade headed by two bands. As the parade approached Shameen (the foreign quarter of Canton in which are located the banks and large business houses) numerous anti-foreign sentiments were expressed by the demonstrators. Among these were:

"We will destroy Shameen and kill those who interfere with our affairs."

"The foreign newspaper should not interfere."

"The strongest man opposing our retention of the customs surplus is the American Minister at Peking. We never expected this, as we always considered America a justice-loving country."

"If the forces opposing us are strong the power of our people is stronger."

"If the American Minister does not change his attitude and continues to interfere with our internal affairs by a demonstration of force, he assumes the entire responsibility for his country's good name and traditions and we will employ our own methods in dealing with America."

$6,000 Reward for Mail Robbers.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 18.—A reward of $6,000 for information leading to the arrest of three men who held up and robbed a mail truck near Rochester Friday was offered today by C. E. Jennings, United States Postal Inspector, on his arrival here. Mr. Jennings is here in the belief that the robbery was planned and organized in this city, and that the robbers are in hiding here. His theory is that the robbers had advance information of the movement of the money, and inspectors are at work on this angle of the case.

ITALY WARNS FRANCE ON OCCUPIED AREAS

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the lack of this result from the 1919 prorogation of allied reparation rights and in view of the fact that it is known in Paris that Berlin plans to ask the right float similar loans for railroads and for the import of raw materials, the French have decided to call a halt, at least until they are convinced that Germany intends to try again to resume reparation payments, an intention which the French believe the Germans do not now have.

The Temps tonight suggests that instead of France and Belgium being asked to curtail their prospects of payment in order to pay for American food sent to Germany, which it says they construe the putting of this obligation ahead of reparations, the United States should pay for the food out of German property held in America, which, the French say, would amount to putting this food loan ahead of American reparations instead of ahead of French reparations.

Before permission for the loan is granted the Temps thinks there should be an investigation of why Germany with the best wheat crop in thirty-five years needs foreign grain, and if it is shown she does need foreign grain that there should be an investigation as to whether the Germans cannot finance the purchases in America as they have financed this year's purchases of cotton and copper there, or of whether there is not enough German money in American banks to meet the payment for food instead of taking money which should come to France.

The Temps also says that the German bankers have just made a business arrangement with English exporters by which they are to pay £300,000 sterling monthly and asks if the German bankers could not finance food purchases. Certainly, adds the Temps, if any food credits are granted the food must be bought in the allied countries instead of in America.

The Journal today waxes warm over the proposal.

"It is not permissible," it says, "that the sacred rights of France should be sacrificed to a mere lamentation on the part of Germany, which is accompanied by no proof. American bankers are free to grant the German bankers any credits they wish, but neither ravaged France nor ravaged Belgium must be asked to pay the bill. Those who in America think so much of Germany as to sell her millions of dollars' worth of cotton and copper can sell grain to her."

Pertinax in the Echo de Paris says France should immediately refuse Germany's request and then notify her that France is prepared to aid her to get needed food this Winter when the Reich is ready to recognize the Ruhr occupation. There is reason to believe that Premier Poincaré may follow this line.

The Liberté thinks the committee of experts which is to get to work next month can quickly find enough German money in London, New York and Amsterdam, to pay for all goods the Germans need. Berlin, it says, must use this money and not make use of the country's need to wiggle further out of reparation obligations. It argues that the Berlin Government should be able to borrow part of this money owned by German citizens and that if it is not it will be that Government's own fault and not France's.

LIBERAL PARTY BARS ANY COALITION PLAN

Asquith Declares Against Aid for Either a Conservative or a Labor Government.

SEES NO NEED OF ELECTION

Intimates That He Would Act When the Other Parties Fail—Lloyd George Backs Him.

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LONDON, Dec. 18.—Ex-Premier Asquith looks forward to being Prime Minister of a Liberal Administration before many months are past. He made that clear in an address this afternoon at the National Liberal Club to a gathering of Liberal members of Parliament.

He appeared to foresee that after the Conservative Government had fallen and a Labor Ministry had been tried and failed the Liberals would be sent for and the party of which he is the head would come into its own.

Mr. Asquith pledged the Liberal Party to absolute independence and rejected all the schemes discussed by various politicians and the newspapers since the election.

The Conservatives have argued that the Liberals, in fear of the Socialists, must support Premier Baldwin after all. Labor has looked forward to dissolution at its own time and a sweeping victory in the country. Mr. Lloyd George has hinted at a concordat between Liberalism and the moderate Laborites, and the Rothermere press and certain former coalition members have worked for a new combination of Unionists and Liberals to fight the growth of socialism.

Mr. Asquith would have none of these things. The Liberal Party had once more become a strong factor in the political world, he said. It had fought an election as an independent party, and it would act as an independent party in the new House. Neither coalitions nor alliances, nor even negotiations, would it have with his consent. It would assert its own principles and put forward its own policies, and it was absolutely certain that when its two adversaries had shot their bolt its chance would come and it would be once more in power.

It was a reinvigorated Mr. Asquith who was speaking. The ex-premier who for eight years had been so palpably out of tune with the politics of the moment had disappeared, and a leader eager for the fray asserted himself and his authority.

Answers Opponents' Jibes.

"I confess," he said, "to a certain sense of personal embarrassment in presuming to present myself as a party leader. It has been for years a commonplace of Tory rhetoric, both on the platform and in the press, that I am a back number, an extinct volcano, an effete and discredited dotard, a man with a past of which the less said the better, and with no future except that which sooner or later is in store for all of us, when we are arraigned and tried at the bar of judgment.

"It is exhilarating experience for me to find myself now acclaimed from the same quarters as the potential savior of society. I was, I hope, never unduly perturbed by their abuse, and I am, I can assure you, not unduly elated by the almost penitential exuberance of their self-application."

Mr. Asquith said he preferred to dwell among his own people. He said some people seemed to imagine that a great parliamentary party fresh from the polls could be treated like a horde of mercenaries and moved from his camp to that camp, but he would have none of it.

He declared there had been no overtures, "direct or indirect, official or unofficial, above ground or subterranean, and, to make my denial comprehensive and complete, by aerial or by wireless, made to me or made to any one I know of, by or on behalf of the leaders of either of the two parties.

"That is the first fact, and the second is like unto it; there has been no overture made to any one and my behalf, with my knowledge, to either of those leaders. So far as we are concerned, they are free; so far as they are concerned, we are free. That freedom I intend to preserve uncompromised, unfettered, and in complete and unassailable integrity."

Opposes New Election.

Mr. Asquith then laid down what he held to be the "governing considerations in an unprecedented situation, precipitated by unexampled folly."

"Tranquillity" was dead, and Liberalism had a substantially smaller and Labor a substantially larger share of representation than either could have obtained under a rational and really democratic system of election. Protection and the capital levy, with its Socialist adjuncts and accessories, both were rejected and repudiated with overwhelming emphasis, he said, and if either of them was submitted to Parliament it would be defeated by a majority of more than 200.

"Whoever may be, for the time being, the incumbents of office, it is we, if we understand our business, who really control the situation," he asserted.

The present Government would have short shrift, he said, and then, turning to the Labor Party, said that "if Labor Government is ever to be tried in this country, as it will be sooner or later, it could hardly be tried under safer conditions."

The ex-Premier denied that a Government could ask for dissolution at any time it pleased, saying dissolution was completely within the prerogative of the King, and in this he appeared to intimate that if Labor should fail after the Conservatives, the Liberals should be called to power without a dissolution and new election.

It has been generally assumed that a Labor Ministry would play for dissolution by putting forward proposals which would appeal directly to the mass of the electorate, but which other parties in the House would be bound to oppose, and it would be a severe disappointment to the Laborites if they could not force an election on such issues.

Mr. Asquith concluded:

"As a first condition of our usefulness we shall, I hope, cherish, and shall not for a moment compromise or imperil in any direction—I say deliberately, in any direction—our unfettered freedom and our unconditional independence."

Lloyd George and Sir John Simon moved and seconded a vote of thanks to Mr. Asquith. Both spoke with brevity, expressing their entire agreement with the leader's utterance.

Archbishop For Our Friendship.

The Archbishop of York, writing in his Diocesan Gazette refers to the political situation as follows:

"As I write, it is impossible to foresee how the Government of the country is to be carried on. Any conceivable Government must be uncertain and unstable in its position, and this at a time when it is of the utmost importance that the nation should have an effective place in the counsels of Europe and America.

"Yet the leaders of the contending parties at least agree in this, that the only ultimate hope for a restoration of trade is the recovery of peace and order in Europe, but this recovery cannot be found along the road which France, with persistant determination, is pursuing, and that every effort must be made to promote co-operation between this country and the United States.

"I do most earnestly trust that the leaders of the three parties will make it clear to the world that, whatever differences there may be on other matters, of this all-important matter, which is one of moral principle as well as of policy, there is one mind and will."

LONDON, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—A significant incident illustrating the change in the position of affairs with the prospect of the advent of a Labor Government occurred today when Sir John Bradbury of the Reparation Commission, who is in England on a consultative mission relative to the appointment of British financial experts on the Reparation Commission's committee of inquiry, went to visit and consult with J. Ramsay Macdonald, the Labor leader, at his Scottish home at Lossiemouth.

Treasury officials when questioned affected complete ignorance of this visit, which, however, was fully confirmed tonight.

SOVIET WANTS CHANGE IN ARMS MEETING

Willing to Join League Discussion on Naval Limit, but Only Outside of Switzerland.

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RIGA, Dec. 18.—The Soviet Foreign Minister, M. Tchitcherin, has addressed a note to the League of Nations in which he says that the Russian Soviet Government, without changing its general attitude toward the League, is willing to send a representative to discuss the proposed extension of the Washington naval agreement to States other than those which originally signed it, provided that the League will alter its arrangements and convene the conference outside of Switzerland.

Dill Offers War Referendum Plan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A war referendum amendment to the Constitution was proposed today by Senator Dill, Democrat, of Washington. Under it Congress could declare war without a special election only in case of invasion or rebellion.

HUGHES REBUFFS SOVIET RECOGNITION

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of opinion in our own country concerning President Coolidge's references to Soviet Russia," said Mr. Gompers, "and in view of the declarations of friendship for the Soviet autocracy expressed by certain Senators and Representatives otherwise progressive, it is imperative that American labor make unmistakably clear its condemnation of the extraordinary and audacious proposal of the Tchitcherin note that free America enter enter into 'negotiations' with the Soviet terrorism.

"In his message to Congress President Coolidge used the following clear and unmistakable language:

"'Whenever the active spirit of enmity to our institutions is abated; whenever there appear works meet for repentance, our country ought to be the first to go to the economic and moral rescue of Russia.'

"This policy does not differ a hair's breadth from that of President Wilson or President Harding—except that it is even more strongly and clearly expressed.

"Senator Borah, the leading advocate of the Soviet cause in this country, immediately professed to see in the Coolidge message for the first time an opportunity by which the Soviets might achieve their long-sought goal of relations with the United States. Immediately following Senator Borah's well-timed suggestions, Commissar Tchitcherin addressed his note to President Coolidge asking for negotiations based on 'mutual non-intervention' and 'mutual trust.'

"Senator Borah and Bolshevist Tchitcherin both understand perfectly that any compromise with the Soviet terrorism is a victory for the Soviets. Outlaws and brigands commonly act upon that principle. They also understand that on fundamentals the Soviets cannot compromise—unless with the deliberate intention of violating their agreement. The world has had enough of scraps of paper.'

Sees Only Hostility to Us.

"President Coolidge and Secretary Hughes are well acquainted with this 'enemy of our institutions.' The President pledges himself that he will not barter away for the privileges of trade any of the 'cherished rights of humanity' nor 'make merchandise' of 'American principles.'

"The Soviet exists to wage war on 'American institutions and principles.' Its Constitution, its official publications, the speeches of its chief officials are shot through with this primary intention. Aside from the shoals of secret agents and the gold it has sent to overthrow our Government and our social order, the very existence of such an enemy régime—known to every revolutionist—gives stimulation and encouragement to every subversive element in this country.

"The hope and encouragement held out to the forces of destruction throughout the world are not more momentous than the hostility to America and all other non-Soviet nations taught in Russia through the Soviet monopolized press, the Communist propaganda which is the foundation of the Soviet schools and the exceptionally violent anti-foreign propaganda so systematically and thoroughly carried out in the Red army.

"No self-respecting Government could for one moment submit to any such attacks, even if they did not threaten grave consequences. But they are a serious menace. There is a menace when the effort is made to drill a whole people to hate all nations which do not humbly obey their own dictators, to believe every conceivable vilification of these nations, to demand that they abandon all their chief institutions and the lessons of their history, and to look forward to aiding by money and arms in the violent overthrow of all Governments differing radically from their own.

"Those who wish us to 'barter American principles' for material advantages now assert that Soviet 'cessation of propaganda within the United States' will put an end to all this. It would do nothing of the kind. It would not touch the active enmity which is interwoven with every Communist-Soviet activity in Russia, and it would have little effect on the Soviet stimulation and encouragement of the destructive elements in this country.

"To discuss 'mutual non-intervention' with a régime that is built upon the intervention principle would imply a degree of ignorance and credulity on the part of the United States. It would also imply that there was need that America should pledge itself to non-intervention. This suggestion could not be offered by any sincere or friendly Government.

Calls Soviet Reform Impossible.

"But the situation is far more serious than this. The entire Soviet structure, Constitution, State documents, official doctrine as taught in the official press, schools and Red army teach that the so-called 'proletarian' régime can not be bound by any agreements made with non-Soviet Governments, and that such Governments will always violate directly, publicly or secretly any agreements they may sign. To discuss the possibility of 'mutual trust' with a régime resting on such foundations would be not only futile but an encouragement to its anti-social, communistic and anti-democratic machinations.

"Negotiations cannot be entered into until the Soviet Government first declares its intention to reverse all these policies, and then during a period sufficiently long to wipe out their effects, actually does reverse them in practice. The first step would be to declare before the world that all such hostile policies and practices have constituted a grievous and unjustified wrong to the United States.

"After these first steps the Soviet régime would have to show by its acts for a reasonable period that they are intended to be permanent. This, of course, it cannot do.

"To offer, by our voluntary action, any hope of any opportunity to those who are sworn to destroy freedom and who must, by virtue of their very philosophy, continue in that course until the end, would be to cast aside our faith and the faith of our fathers in the institution of human freedom. We believe authority must be based upon the freely expressed will of the people who are to be governed before it can properly ask or rightly receive our recognition and mutual intercourse."

Upon reading Secretary Hughes's response to the Russian note after the above statement had been prepared, President Gompers expressed himself as pleased with the note and as thoroughly in accord with its repudiation of the advances made by Tchitcherin.

Moscow Approaches Yugoslavia.

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BELGRADE, Dec. 16.—Desultory talk of recognition of the Russian Soviet Government by the Yugoslav Government has been revived by a statement published by the Belgrade newspaper Politika that Moscow has asked the Yugoslav Government through Berlin to appoint a delegate to negotiate with the Soviet Government.

It is said to have decared it was prepared to furnish necessary guarantees to cease propaganda in Yugoslavia provided the Yugoslav Government broke off relations with the followers of General Wrangel.

It is understood that the Cabinet has postponed discussion of the matter, and that in any case no decision will be taken until after the meeting of the Little Entente Foreign Ministers, which is to be held here from Jan. 9 to 11. The Skuptchina will also be consulted.

It is more than probable that if the Soviet invitation is accepted the negotiations will be conducted by M. Balugdidch, the Yugoslav Minister in Berlin.

AIDING SISTER TO DIE PUTS BOY ON TRIAL

Moscow Is Thrilled by Tragedy of Twins' Decision to Thwart Girl's Madness.

ACCUSED IS REPRIMANDED

Court Finds Him Guilty, but Holds Punishment Impossible, Considering Circumstances.

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MOSCOW, Dec. 18.—Moscow has followed with passionate interest the trial concluded today in the Municipal Court of a young writer, Kovalevski, for responsibility for his sister's death, according to Article 148 of the Soviet Code covering "complicity in and excitation to the suicide of a person manifestly incapable of understanding the nature and meaning of said action."

Kovalevski and his sister Irina, who were twins, grew up together, with the closest possible affection. A few years ago the girl became an ardent devotee of Indian mysticism, which ruined a mental balance already undermined by illness and suffering during Russia's "black years."

Afflicted by spells and mania of steadily increasing frequency and acuteness, she spent several months last year in an insane asylum. She rallied during the Winter and Spring, but in the Summer had a grave relapse and again entered the asylum. At the end of June physicians told Kovalevsky, who visited his sister daily, that it was merely a question of weeks until her brief lucid intervals would vanish entirely and she become a hopeless imbecile.

In his horror the young man decided to grant Irina the boon which she had repeatedly pleaded for during her periods of sanity—an easy death by poison. On July 2, when her condition was so bad that she was confined to a padded cell in a violent frenzy, Kovalevski waited at the hospital all day until the crisis was succeeded by a lucid moment. Then he went to the couch where the girl lay exhausted and whispered.

"Here's the opium you asked."

"At last," she murmured; "thank you, thank you."

She swallowed a mortal dose. The brother kissed her forehead, weeping, then waited until she slept. He left the hospital with the intention of giving himself up to the police, for whom he had prepared beforehand an explanatory document. On the way he reflected that this course might involve the hospital authorities in trouble, and returning to the asylum he told the physician on duty what he had done, showing him the paper prepared for the police.

Attempts to resuscitate Irina proved vain, and the subsequent report on the matter led to the present charge.

A barrister of thirty years' experience told THE NEW YORK TIMES he never had witnessed such breathless emotion in a Russian court as when the pale, slim, dark-eyed boy arose—not to defend himself, but to tell simply and sadly his pathetic story.

"Am I here for punishment?" he asked.

"I think you any penalty, however terrible, can compare with the agony I suffered from a decision to kill the sister dearer to me than all the world? Knowingly, deliberately, I helped her die, to save her from hopeless idiocy. Despite all the laws of God or man, I have an absolute conviction that I did right."

The prosecuting attorney accepted the facts as given above, and limited his final speech to a brief reminder of the law, framed in the general interest of the community, which forbade an individual to pronounce on the life or death of another.

The tribunal found Kovalevskie guilty under Article 148, although admitting that it was debatable whether Irina could rightly be termed a "person manifestly incapable to understand the meaning" of suicide, for which she repeatedly had asked her brother's help during the lucid periods whereto the physicians had testified.

Accordingly, the Court limited the sentence to a formal expression of disapproval of the accuser's conduct. The verdict received the utmost approbation of the public.

$100 for Suggesting "Rain."

Testimony that Goeffred C. Stein, who brought the play "Rain" to the attention of Sam H. Harris, got only $100, was given in the Supreme Court yesterday by Abe Levy, general manager for Harris, in a suit by Stein against Harris to recover for the value of his services.

SCHACHT IS CHOSEN AS REICHSBANK HEAD

Federal Council's Action Is Expected to Be Approved by President Ebert Today.

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BERLIN, Dec. 18.—The dramatic battle of theReichsbank over the dead body of its President, von Havenstein, ended tonight when the Reichsrat or Federal Council, as provided by the Constitution, voted for Dr. Hjalmar Schacht as the next Reichsbank President. This vote, from which Wurttenberg's representatives for some reason abstained, amounts to a definitive recommendation to President Ebert which he is expected to confirm tomorrow morning.

Thereby former Finance Minister and Vice Chancellor Dr. Helfferich, candidate of the extreme Right and old militarist and nationalist crowd, is definitely beaten and an important victory has been scored by the Republicans.

Dr. Schacht will be literally Germanys' money dictator. He will be to currency and finance what General von Seeckt is to the Reichswehr as Commander-in-Chief.

OPPOSE SEPARATIST RULE.

Ludwigshafen Citizens Hold Mass Meeting of Protest.

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COLOGNE, Dec. 18.—A mass demonstration of inhabitants of Ludwigshafen was held yesterday afternoon to protest against the arrest and deportation of two Burgomasters by the Separatists. The demonstration filled the main streets of the town and lasted all the afternoon. Persons of all professions and all shades of society took part and all shops and offices were closed.

During the demonstration the Separatist flags on the public offices were hauled down and a Separatist agitator who tried to make a speech in the streets under protection of an armed guard was howled down by the crowd. In the evning French troops patroled the streets in the centre of the town and prevented the people collecting in groups.

Since yesterday the censorship has been applied to all Ludwigshafen newspapers by the Separatist authorities and they have been forbidden to publish any resolutions passed by the Town Council which are unfavorable to the Separatists.

PROTESTS AGAINST FARLEY.

Senator Jones Tells Coolidge That Law Bars Ship Board Chairman.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Opposition to Edward P. Farley as Chairman of the Shipping Board was taken to the President today when Senator Jones, Chairman of the Commerce Committee, urged the withdrawal of his nomination, now pending in the Senate, on the ground that Mr. Farley was legally disqualified.

Senator Jones recalled to the President that the law creating the Shipping Board, of which he is the author, specifically provides that the lake section shall have only one member on the board. He contended that T. V. O'Connor of Buffalo comes in the designation of representing the lake district and that therefore either the Chairman or Mr. O'Connor is ineligible.

President Coolidge told the Senator that Mr. Farley occupies the same position geographically as his predecessor and sponsor, A. D. Lasker. He assured his caller that he would have the Attorney General pass upon the law. Senator Jones did not hesitate to say that Mr. Lasker was an illegal appointee.

Some Senators and shipping men are opposed to Mr. Farley also because of allegations that he is inexperienced in shipping matters. His temperament they say, moreover, does not fit him for an administrative place.

CAPITAL TO MEET LABOR.

Mussolini Will Hold a Conference to Discuss Relations.

ROME, Dec. 18.—Capital and labor will meet tomorrow in friendly council under the Presidency of Premier Mussolini to discuss permanent relations between them "on the basis of national discipline."

Among those who will be present are the chiefs of the Fascista labor organizations, who will be headed by Edmundo Rossini, a former tinworker of Sharon, Pa., and the Italian "captains of industry," headed by Deputy Antonio Benni.

KALININ 'OCTOBERS' A COMMUNIST BABY

Peasant President of Russian Federation Acts as "Godfather" at Kremlin.

RED CRADLE IN CEREMONY

New Member Received Into "Great Revolutionary Family" With "Anti-Religious" Music.

By WALTER DURANTY.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MOSCOW, Dec. 18.—"Octobering," as the Bolsheviki call their new non-religious naming of children, is receiving strong official impetus.

The ceremony described in a former dispatch when Bukharin and Clara Zetlin dedicated the child of a Moscow worker's family to the cause of the revolution had a pendant yesterday at the Kremlin when Kalinin, the peasant President of the Russian Federation, performed a similar office for the baby boy of a non-Communist peasant couple living in the Province of Tver.

The report of the proceedings in the Soviet press gives the names of the father and mother as Yakovlevitch and Gracheva, respectively, according to the common custom in New Russia the wife retaining her maiden name after marriage.

The Kremlin ceremony differed slightly from that of the previous occasion. As the parents brought the child forward Kalinin said:

"We receive this new member of the great revolutionary family."

Then they handed it to the President of the woman's department of the Communist group of the All Russian Central Executive Committee, which organized the ceremony, and she in turn passed it to "Goodfather" Kalinin and "Goodmother" Gorchakova. The latter placed the baby in a red cradle decorated with Soviet emblems, the orchestra struck up the "Internationale" and a band of "Young Pioneers," as the Communist boy scouts are called, mounted a guard of honor over the cradle.

The youngster promptly emitted an indignant bellow, whereupon Kalinin cried:

"Hark! Our young pioneer is already shouting 'Hurrah!'"

Perhaps to emphasize the difference beween the sacred music of Shubert's "Ave Maria" in the ceremonial dance given by Isadora Duncan and her pupils as the finale of the previous affair, the ceremony concluded with what the report describes as an "anti-religious" concert, though persons present say this did not mean blasphemous but merely "profane" as opposed to "sacred" music.

"Octoberings"—the word of course refers to the Bolshevist revolution of October, 1917—are already common enough in urban factories, but it remains to be seen how far they will prevail against the religious conservatism of the peasants.

German Stamps on Gold Basis.

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—Germany's postage stamps since the close of the war number 300 various types, or more than were issued in the entire fifty years of the empire. But with Dec. 1 stamps went on a gold basis and will cease to change in the rapid way which has made stamp collecting a profitable calling in Germany.

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BONUS MEN BLOCK WORK ON TAX BILL

Committee Meeting Suddenly Canceled in Fear of Defeat of Leaders' Plans.

MAJORITY FOR BONUS FIRST

Chairman Green Wants Precedence Given to Administrative Features of Tax Revision Measure.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The meeting of the House Ways and Means Committee called for today to begin work on tax revision was canceled suddenly by Chairman Green because he had learned that Representatives Rainey, Democrat, of Illinois, and Frear, Radical, of Wisconsin, intended to propose that the Bonus bill be taken up ahead of taxation. Chairman Green, it is asserted, had good reason to fear that such a proposal would be carried.

Representative Garner of Texas, ranking Democratic member of the committee, told Mr. Green last night that he would aid in blocking the rush of the Bonus bill, but after learning that Mr. Rainey and other Democrats would be behind the bonus drive Mr. Garner announced this morning that he was obliged to change his stand.

Of the twenty-five members of the committee, the large majority are for the bonus, and Mr. Green must face this reality. In a statement tonight Mr. Green suggests taking up the administrative features of the tax bill first and working on these ten days or two weeks, after which a Republican conference could decide whether a bonus was demanded. It would be necessary, Mr. Green admits, to handle the subject of the bonus, as well as the administrative features, before the scheme of tax reduction was considered, as otherwise it would not be known how much money could be counted upon to use for scaling down the levies.

Advocates of the bonus accused Mr. Green of wanting to delay consideration for ten days or two weeks, so that there would be a reaction against the bonus. It is declared that if a Republican conference is held to decide whether a bonus will shall be passed the suggestion will be adopted overwhelmingly.

Chairman Green's Statement.

The statement by Mr. Green reads:

"When the meeting of the Ways and Means Committee was called for today it was believed that there was a complete understanding between the members of the two parties represented on the committee that the administrative provisions of the Treasury bill would be taken up first. It was ascertained, however, late yesterday afternoon that objections would be made to this plan and an endeavor made to prevent its being carried out.

"At the request of several members of the committee I have postponed the meeting announced for today until tomorrow in order that a definite plan of action might be presented to the committee.

"The committee is called to consider the Treasury bill, which is a measure involving, among other things, reduction in taxation. In the consideration of how much our taxes could be reduced it is necessary to consider, first, the amount of governmental receipts, and, second, the amount of governmental expenditures, in order to determine the amount of reduction in taxation which can be made. This is so obvious as to need no argument to support it. In order to determine the amount of receipts it is necessary to consider the administrative provisions of the Treasury bill, which, by their effect on the application of the rates, will materially affect the amount of revenue to be received by the Government.

"In order to ascertain the amount of the expenditures it will be necessary to determine what disposition is to be made of the Bonus bill. After these matters are determined the committee can then determine the amount of reduction which can be made in the income tax rates, and how much, if any, reduction can be made in excise taxes. To undertake to construct a tax revision bill without disposing of both of these items would be as impracticable as to try to construct a house without first laying a foundation.

"The logical order of the proceedings of the committee should be to take up first the administrative features of the Treasury bill, then to determine whether a Bonus bill is to be considered and reported, and thereafter, in accordance with the determination of these two matters, to make the reductions in taxation accordingly.

Suggests Fortnight's Consideration.

"It will probably require ten days or two weeks of working time to properly consider the administrative provisions. This will afford an opportunity for a conference of all of the Republican members of the House, which seems to be desired by many. The plan I propose not only presents the logical order for the business of the committee, but will expedite consideration of all of the subjects mentioned above.

"Some suggestion has been made that if the bonus bill is adopted some new plan of taxation should be presented to provide for the expenditures arising under it, but it is quite clear that the new revenue bill should include all of our system of taxation and not leave it to be modified or changed by some further provision. Moreover, with a surplus of nearly $400,000,000 in sight, Congress would not, in my opinion, look favorably upon the imposition of any new taxes.

"I shall call the full committee together tomorrow and present to it this plan of procedure for such action as it may see fit to take."

The anti-bonus forces in the committee gained a recruit today when Representative Watson of Pennsylvania changed his stand. It was calculated tonight that a vote taken on the bonus at this time would have been 21 for and 5 against, this estimate taking into account Mr. Watson's attitude, and also the vote when the House, on Sept. 20, 1922, overrode President Harding's veto of the bonus bill.

At that time the present members of the committee stood as follows: Eleven Republicans for, including Green, Hawley, Young, Bacharach, Hadley, Timberlake, Watson, Chindblom, McLaughlin, Crowther and Kearns; three Republicans against, including Treadway, Hilson and Mills; one paired for, Frear; four Democrats for, including Oldfield, Carew, Martin and Tague; one Democrat against, Collier; one Democrat paired for, Crisp, and one Democrat with a general pair, Garner, who is believed to be against. Four new Democratic members on the committee—Hull Rainey, Dickinson and Casey—were not in Congress at the time, but are put down as bonus supporters.

SENATE BALLOTS IN VAIN.

Nine More Tests Fail to Settle Commerce Committee Chairmanship.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Senate voted nine times this afternoon in another fruitless effort to break the deadlock over the election of a Chairman of the Committee on Interstate Commerce. The ninth and last ballot—the twenty-third since the voting began—gave Senator Smith, the Democratic candidate, a lead of five votes over Senator Cummins, the organization candidate, and thirty-one more than the number cast by the Radicals and Progressives for Senator Couzens of Michigan. Mr. Smith was short just four votes of the number necessary to elect.

Another effort will be made to end the deadlock tomorrow, but the indications are for another day of useless balloting. The opinion seems general that the deadlock will be carried over into the new year.

Senator La Follette is expected to be in his seat when the Senate reconvenes on Jan. 3, and if he is, many Senators believe the deadlock will end speedily, probably with the election of Mr. Smith. As matters now stand, the Administration Republicans will not vote for a Radical, and it is held, therefore, that the only solution of the problem is the election of Mr. Smith to the Chairmanship.

The most interesting development in today's voting was the switch to the Radical ranks of Hiram Johnson of California, and Senator Capper of Kansas. On all previous ballots the California candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination, and Mr. Capper, leader of what was once the powerful bi-partisan Farm bloc, voted with the Old Guard for Senator Cummins.

Organization Republicans continue confident they can stop the election of a Radical and also that of Mr. Smith. Senators Norris and Howell of Nebraska, they point out, must vote with the Democrats to elect Mr. Smith, and those two Senators, they assert, will never go that far. Senator Howell is the Republican National Committeeman from Nebraska, and Senator Moses remarked: "Imagine him, under those circumstances, voting for a Democrat!"

As the situation sizes up tonight, it is admitted in all camps that there is no present sign of an end to the deadlock.

FEDERAL WARRANTS ISSUED FOR KORETZ

Fugitive Chicagoan Is Accused of Use of Mails to Defraud in $5,000,000 Oil Swindle.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—The Federal Government stepped into the $5,000,000 Koretz swindling case today when warrants charging use of the mails to defraud were issued against Leo Koretz, fugitive head of the Bayano River Trust Company of Panama. The county Grand Jury indicted Koretz today for operating a confidence game.

The six business men whom Koretz sent to Panama to administer his company presented the State's Attorney with a signed statement today that they found nothing but dismal swamps and that the scheme was fraudulent in every detail. They were cited to appear before the Grand Jury, and Mrs. Salo Auerbach, intimate friend of Koretz, who fled to a sanitarum, was subpoenaed to testify tomorrow.

Miss Josephine Schroeder, secretary for Koretz, testified before a referee in bankruptcy that before he fled Koretz supplied himself with at least $500,000 in cash. She said the money was derived from personal checks, sale of $182,000 worth of Liberty bonds and sales of 800 shares of Inland Steel stock. One of the checks was for $100,000.

Miss Schroeder, who lost $3,600 of her earnings in the fraud, said that during the six years she worked for Koretz he never wrote or received a letter from or to Panama and that she never knew of a single penny coming from the alleged properties there.

Koretz is reported to have been in Chicago last Sunday and to have attended a theatre. The Federal District Attorney today took action to seize $3,000 worth of liquor found in Koretz's vault. The prosecutor received an anonymous letter from a woman today naming three women in connection with Koretz.

Ludwig Koretz, 40 years old, a brother of the oil swindler, was run down and seriously injured by a taxicab today.

CROWDER BACK IN HAVANA.

Return Starts Discussion of American Attitude Toward Cuba.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 18.—General Enoch H. Crowder, American Ambassador to Cuba, returned today from New York after an absence of several months. He declined to answer questions regarding American policy toward Cuba. The first person to greet him was Major José Navarro, an aid to President Zayas.

The General's return was accompanied by numerous newspaper editorial articles today commenting on a possible American policy toward the Zayas Government. El Mundo, which has declared its opposition to the return of President Zayas, welcomed the General as returning to work in "friendly co-operation" with the Cuban Government. El Heraldo, a new evening newspaper, declared in seven-column headlines that Crowder came with full powers which he can use to substitute a provisional Cuban Government for the present Administration.

CHRISTMAS SEALS HIT BY RESTRICTION

Treasury Order Bars Sale in Post Offices Owned by the Government.

PROTEST IN CONNECTICUT

Washington Asked to Prevent Loss to Tuberculosis Fund—New Is Surprised.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 18.—According to tuberculosis workers of Connecticut, a shrinkage of receipts from the national Christmas seal sale and a curtailment of the national program for fighting tuberculosis are possible because a general order has been issued by the Treasury Department in Washington stopping the sale of seals in Post Offices owned by the Government throughout the United States.

About 5,000 persons are engaged in the annual seal sale in Connecticut alone, and they were dumfounded today when they were told that the Post Offices of the State were closed to them. They had receive permission to sell seals Dec. 1 under the terms of an order signed by Postmaster General New and had placed elaborate booths in the offices, which they were ordered today to vacate on receipt of the Treasury Department order. They declared they had had this permission annually for fifteen years.

Telegrams were sent to Connecticut Senators and Congressmen in Washington in hope of relief. Senator McLean and Representative Tilson replied that the order is national in scope and cannot be modified during the present Christmas seal sale.

Health organizations of this State have begun filing protests to Washington and they assert that other States are likely to follow their example.

National Director Explains Ruling.

Dr. Linsley R. Williams, director of the National Tuberculosis Association, said here last night that sale of seals in Government-owned Post Offices controlled by the Treasury Department had not been permitted at any time this year. The authorities refused to renew the privilege they had given in former years, he said. He thought that possibly some of the units of the Tuberculosis Association might have been under the misapprehension that they enjoyed the same license as in years past and would be taken by surprise by what would seem to be a special ruling.

Dr. Williams said the removal order did not apply to leased Post Offices, which are under authority of the Post Office Department, and where the sale of the Christmas tokens is allowd to continue uninterrupted. He anticipated little effect upon the general sale of the seals, as workers forced to vacate buildings would only redouble their efforts.

Order Is Surprise to New.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Postmaster General New was surprised tonight to learn that the sale of Christmas tuberculosis seals had been stopped in a number of Post Offices, including the one in New Haven. He said no order of this character had come from his department but, on the contrary, permission had been expressly granted for the sale of the seals.

It was understood, however, from another source, that the Treasury Department, which has charge of Federal buildings, issued a standing order a number of years ago prohibiting the use of these buildings for other than Governmental purposes. During the war and for two years afterwards these regulations were not strictly enforced, and organizations such as the Red Cross were even given rooms in the buildings for their drives.

The rule has again been enforced, however, and the Red Cross was not even allowed to solicit its annual roll call in the Federal buildings a few months ago. Some letters of complaint have been written to Treasury officials.

TWO BANDITS KILLED IN ROBBING GARAGE

Two Others Seized After Former Veteran, Awakened by Dog, Fires on Quartet.

Special to The New York Times.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 18.—A spirited gunfight between the proprietor of the Brockport Service Garage and four youthful burglars resulted in the death of two of the quartet and the arrest of the other two here today.

The dead are Percy Back, 17, and Anthony Zambito, 18. The other two—Raymond Seymour, 19, alleged leader of the gang and Anthony Labuo, 28—are held at the jail here by Sheriff Judson. All were Rochester men.

Edgar Coapman, proprietor of the garage, slept in the office following repeated attempts to break into the place. Early this morning he was awakened by his dog, which instead of barking, licked his master's face. Coapman stuck his head over the counter, behind which he was sleeping, and saw the gleam of a flashlight moving around the office. As he reached for his revolver the light was turned on him, and he immediately open fire.

Back, who was holding the flashlight, dropped to the floor to escape the fire. Zambito raised his revolver and pulled the trigger three times, but it failed to fire. Seymour, armed with another revolver, fired three shots. One struck Back, killing him instantly. Zambito fell across Back's body fatally wounded by a shot from Coapman's gun.

Seymour ran through the door, but was shot in the shoulder by Coapman while trying to get into a stolen car where Labuo was at the wheel.

Coapman emptied his automatic gun of eight bullets and ran back to get his army rifle, but when he reached the street again the automobile was out of range.

Coapman called in the authorities, who rushed Zambito to the General Hospital here, where he died. On his deathbed he gave the authorities the names of his other companions and their arrest followed.

A charge of murder may be placed against Seymour as a result of the discovery at the autopsy that Back was killed by his pal's gun instead of Coapman's.

Coapman was arrested on a technical charge of manslaughter, first degree, and was released in $1,000 bail. He is a World War veteran aviator, having won a commission as Lieutenant and high honors in the Royal Flying Corps.

$22,000,000 HOTEL PROJECT.

New Buildings to Replace the Old Congress in Chicago.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—One of America's best known hotels and one of Chicago's oldest, the Congress, is to be replaced with a $22,000,000 thirty-two-story hotel structure which, with proposed annexes, will have 3,000 rooms.

As announced today by H. L. Kaufman, President of the Congress Hotel Company, the first step is to be the erection next March of a $5,000,000 thirty-two-story bachelor hotel on Congress Street, just west of the present hotel. The next step in the building program calls for a thirty-two-story 700-room annex at the northeast corner of Wabash and Harrison, connected with the main hotel by bridges and a tunnel.

A feature of this $5,000,000 section will be the largest and most complete banquet and convention hall in the world," to accommodate 2,000.

The final rounding out of the building program calls for the practical demolition of the present Congress, leaving intact, however, such features as Peacock Alley and the Pompeiian room and the erection of a 1,400-room section.

Two Married Women Disappear.

An alarm has been sent out by the police of West New York, N. J., for two young wives who have been missing for several days. Mrs. Gussie Veilhausen of 317 Twelfth Street, mother of one child, disappeared a week ago, not long after she had caused the arrest of her husband, Samuel, on a charge of assault and battery. Mrs. Mabel Bersig, 27, of 211 Twentieth Street, is also missing.

Enjoins North Dakota on Tax.

FARGO, N. D., Dec. 18.—The State of North Dakota was permanently enjoined from collection of the 1922 income tax against the Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railroads in a decision handed down today by Federal Judge Andrew Miller. The assessments against the Great Northern were $28,076.58 and against the Northern Pacific $32,026.83.

JOHNSON WILL LEAD BIG FIGHT IN OHIO

Hitchcock in Cleveland to Lay Plans Which Include Speech by Senator There Dec. 29.

MAY MAKE CITY HIS BASE

Coolidge Managers and the National Committee Decide on Quarters in the Hollenden.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 18.—Frank H. Hitchcock, campaign manager for Senator Hiram Johnson, who is in Cleveland to select headquarters for the California candidate for the Republican nomination for President, spent most of today in laying the lines for the Johnson campaign in Ohio, which, it became evident, Mr. Johnson intends to make one of the chief battlefields of the pre-convention campaign.

Although Mr. Hitchcock said he would have no statement to make until after all details had been arranged, it is understood that Senator Johnson will come to Cleveland, probably on Dec. 29, to fire the opening guns in the campaign. That this city will be Johnson headquarters for the lake region States is a certainty. Removal of the national headquarters from Chicago to Cleveland also was discussed today.

Senator Johnson is expected to travel in and out of Cleveland, criss-crossing Ohio in his campaign in the Central States.

Mr. Hitchcock conferred yesterday with John D. Fackler, one of the leaders in the old Progressive Party and a close friend of Senator Johnson for years, and with State Senator George H. Bender, who has been leading the preliminary Johnson campaign in this State. It is understood that Mr. Bender will be delegated to take charge of the Johnson State headquarters here, although this matter is not settled definitely.

Mr. Hitchcock will meet Colonel Carmi A. Thompson, Chairman of the Committee on Local Arrangements, tomorrow to select the Johnson headquarters.

President Coolidge's campaign headquarters were established today in the Hollenden Hotel, which also will be the headquarters of the Republican National Committee. It is probable that Mr. Hitchcock, for this reason, will change quarters in the Cleveland or Statler Hotel.

A committee of nine to organize the Citizens' Committee of One Hundred, which will have charge of the local entertainment of the delegates, was named today by Colonel Thompson. The committee is composed of Republicans, including Harry L. Davis, former Governor of Ohio. It will meet in a few days to name the larger committee, which will be non-partisan.

JOHNSON GIVES PLATFORM.

Farm Relief Prominent in Dakota Presidential Statement.

PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 18.—On a platform advocating reduction in taxes and relief for farmers, Senator Hiram Johnson of California will file as an independent Republican candidate for the Presidential nomination in the South Dakota primaries next March, it was announced here.

Senator Johnson's platform was deposited with the Secretary of State and will be filed with his petition before Jan. 1. The platform declares that agriculture is the most important industry in the country and that prosperity for the farmers means prosperity for the nation as well as security.

To improve agricultural conditions, Senator Johnson advocates lower freight rates, increased transportation facilities, promotion of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway and a reduction in the cost spread between the producer and the consumer. He also urges curbing speculation in farm products and, if necessary, an increase in the tariff on wheat. Lower taxation and a bonus to World War veterans are both possible, the platform sets forth.

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MEXICAN FACTIONS SEEK AN ARMISTICE

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revolutionist forces from Puebla. The reports said Puebla was being stormed by the Federals, but earlier press dispatches from the Mexican capital said that point had been evacuated by the revolutionists last night. The embassy report said the revolutionists driven from San Marcos were being pursued by Federal cavalry.

President Obregon was reported to have returned to Mexico City last night after a tour of inspection through the States of Vera Cruz and Puebla.

There has been no change in peaceful conditions throughout the Northern and Central States, the embassy was informed.

"Reports received from San Luis Potosi," the embassy statement continued, "are to the effect that General Calles has arrived there and is now engaged in the organization of volunteer corps from farmers.

"Generals Estrada and Maycotte have expressed to other leaders of the uprising their disavowal of de la Huerta's assumed authority as chief of the rebellion.

"The entire diplomatic and consular corps have expressed their loyalty to the legal authorities, rejecting flatly and energetically de la Huerta's invitation to second his ambitions."

Consul Marsh, at Progreso, reported to the State Department today that Yucatan, the southernmost province of Mexico, declared in favor of de la Huerta on the 12th.

Chargé Summerlin, at Mexico City, in a cable message dated yesterday, said the Foreign Office declares that a decisive Federal offensive on the eastern front began on Dec. 17."

Revolutionary forces were reported in official advices to the department under date of yesterday to be concentrating at Manzanillo and to be prepared for an attack by Federal forces said to be en route from Mazatlan. The General in charge of the rebel troops gave assurances of protection to all foreigners in Manzanillo.

Consul Wood, telegraphing at noon today from Vera Cruz, said fighting took place at San Marcos on the morning of Dec. 17, and that there was a "rumor current in Vera Cruz that the Sanchez (revolutionary) troops were defeated."

Rebel Advance on Apizaco.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 18.—Rebel forces have advanced from the City of Puebla toward the station of Apizaco, an important junction on the railway, and will attack the headquarters of President Obregon there, according to advices received by the de la Huerta junta here today.

Generals Villareal and Castro, commanding a large body of insurgents, are threatening to cut off the rear of the Federal Army, the advices said.

Large amounts of war materials have been captured by the rebels, together with prisoners, the junta was advised. Many of the Obregon troops have deserted to join the banner of the de la Huerta movement, according to rebel advices.

Colonel Ramon Lopez, commandant of the Juarez garrison, was advised later that troops under General Eugenio Martinez were pursuing rebel forces south of San Marcos and that their capture was imminent. General Martinez reported to General Sarrano that the troops captured one marine gun and had taken over several trains abandoned by the de la Huerta forces because they had run out of fuel.

Cavalry detachments have been out in the field, and the rebel forces are at a disadvantage, the advices stated.

Fighting for possession of San Marcos had been under way for more than sixteen hours before the rebels were forced to retreat, Mr. Ruiz, the Mexican Consul General here, was advised. The Federals captured an immense amount of ammunition, small arms, a number of cannon and several trains used by the rebels for transportation, Mr. Ruiz was informed.

Federals Attacking Puebla.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—The city of Puebla, a stronghold of the rebel forces, is being attacked by Federal troops in command of President Obregon, according to a telegram received here this afternoon from the Secretary of the Foreign Relations Department at Mexico City by the Mexican Consul General Alejandro, Lubbert.

Obregon's troops, which have been active in the country surrounding Puebla, are marching toward Puebla to reinforce the troops already there, the telegram added.

President Obregon, with 22,000 troops under his command, is concentrating his forces in the State of Vera Cruz, according to an official communiqué from Mexico City received here today by Señor Lubbert.

The Federal Army, the communiqué stated, is thoroughly equipped with light and heavy artillery, machine guns, cavalry and infantry and a large air force. The President has publicly stated that he will press the campaign on to an attack on the city of Vera Cruz.

President Obregon, the communiqué said, is in high spirits and enthusiastic in taking the new field.

President Obregon up to yesterday had been in personal touch with the Federal forces under General Joaquin Amara engaging the rebels in front of Guadalajara, the communiqué said. The rebel troops under General Estrada offered no resistance to Federal troops and have been in constant retreat toward Guadalajara, destroying railroads and bridges to prevent the advance of Federal troops.

Owing to the destruction of railroad property by the rebels which would have to be replaced before Federal troops could advance further west, President Obregon decided to concentrate all activities upon the de la Huerta forces in Vera Cruz, the communiqué stated.

Rebel forces in Mexico have control of the Tehuantepec Railroad and are moving troops from the South to reinforce their commander in the State of Vera Cruz, according to private advices received here today by The Light.

The advices to The Light state that the rebels are now in control of more territory than the Obregon Government and revolts in the States of Tlaxcala, Tabasco and Oaxaca are reported, with de la Huerta activities being carried on in the States of San Luis Potosi and Coahuila. Control of the Mexican Gulf oil fields by the Huertistas has cut off a fuel supply for the Government and has also cut off a money supply from the oil duties, the reports stated.

The Mexican Ministry of War has intercepted a radiogram sent out by Adolfo de la Huerta, heading the revolution, with headquarters at Vera Cruz, protesting against Generals Manuel Garcia Vigil, Governor of Oaxaca, and Fortunato Maycotte, who took arms against the Obregon Government without affiliation to the de la Huerta faction, according to advices received and published by La Prensa, a Spanish language newspaper here.

Colonel Ismael Rueda, Chief of the Federal garrison at Tuxpam, State of Vera Cruz, has reported to the Ministry of War that a large number of soldiers who belonged to the ranks of General Guadalupe Sanches are returning to him, stating that they had been misled by Sanchez.

The police force in Mexico City has been disarmed on orders of the military garrison there. No reasons are given in the dispatch for this action, although the belief is expressed that the gendarmes would take up arms against President Obregon.

General Rafael Hernandez, Chief of Military Operations in Morelos, reported to Mexico City authorities that he fought a group of rebels at Jiquilpan and Colonel Leonel Lopez, commandant of the rebels, was killed.

The Legislature of the State of Queretaro deposed Governor Ramirez Luque and designated General Joaquin de la Pena as Provisional Executive.

Frontera Declared Closed.

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 18.—The port of Frontera, in the State of Tabasco, has been closed to international traffic, according to a telegram received today by F. Millet, Mexican Consul here.

GUADALAJARA REBELS REPORTED HEMMED IN

Federals Still Massing Troops for a Decisive Battle With Estrada.

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IRAPUATO, Mexico, Dec. 16 (Delayed).—It is reported here tonight that a desperate battle has taken place at Guadalajara.

According to one version here, Colonel Ansalduo, commander of the Eighth Battalion of 900 men, revolted against General Estrada, the motive for which is not known.

General Estrada is said to have crushed the revolt. He lost about 100 men and has close to 1,000 prisoners on hi hands, thus weakening his forces considerably. The report says that Colonel Ansalduo and the chief officers of the Eighth Battalion were shot.

The Federal forces, which changed their base of operations at the front, have had contact several times with the rebels during the last twenty-four hours. Each time they advanced they forced the rebels under General Estrada back upon Guadalajara, which now is practically in a state of siege.

Federal airplanes are watching every movement of the enemy and are preventing food and supplies from entering Guadalajara. The Federals are reported steadily closing in on the city.

As the rebels' front extends from Guadalajara to La Junta, a few miles south of the city, the general opinion here is that the coming great battle will take place along this line. The opinion is reiterated in official circles here tonight that the battle will take place about next Sunday.

As the encircling movement around Guadalajara is approaching completion General Estrada's chances of escaping to the mountains without fighting is rapidly disappearing. The insurgents apparently are in a trap. The Government is massing its troops to his rear, thus cutting off an extensive field of supplies from a rich country.

It is reported here officially that 25 per cent. of the insurgents have deserted and gone over to the Federals. The Thirteenth Battalion, the latest to desert from the rebels, arrived in the Federal camp yesterday. It is reported that it was hemmed in and forced to remain in the rebel camp by General Estrada. The officers in command reported much dissatisfaction in the rebel ranks.

The policy of the Government is to continue to mass troops around Guadalajara and to make the coming battle decisive so that if the enemy is defeated, which seems almost certain, there will be nothing for it left to fight with.

GUNBOAT GOES TO REBELS.

Mexican Consul at San Diego May Ask Seizure by Americans.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 18.—Appeal to United States Attorney Joseph D. Burke in Los Angeles is contemplated by Mexican Consul E. Ferreira in an effort to have the gunboat Mayo, in port here, either seized or prevented from leaving the harbor, it was stated at the Consulate today as a result of officers and crew of the warship announcing that they recognized Adolfo de la Huerta as Provisional President of the Mexican Republic.

First news of the decision of the men aboard the Mayo came with an announcement by Commandante Velentin L. Montalvo of the Mayo that officers and crew would accept orders of the Provisional Government headed by de la Huerta, as it was declared that under the Mexican Constitution President Obregon was no longer qualified to lead the Government.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 18.—The Mexican steamer Coahuila, recently seized by rebel forces, is mounting guns for a naval encounter at Acapulco with the gunboat Progreso, according to a message intercepted by the Radio Corporation of America here tonight.

NO CHANGE IN OUR POLICY.

Cabinet Passes Over Mexican Questions at Its Meeting.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The revolutionary movement in Mexico has not operated to change the policy of the American Government toward Mexico, it was announced today at the White House.

President Coolidge still is hopeful that the conventions resulting from the recently negotiated recognition agreement may be ratified promptly by the Senate. Although the Mexican situation had been expected to be taken up at today's Cabinet meeting, it was declared it was not discussed, and this was cited as evidence of the faith of officials here that the present Mexican Government will retain its position.

AMERICANS BEING DETAINED.

Messages Sent to Mexico City Remain Unanswered.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 18.—Americans in the City of Mexico are being detained, probably for their own protection, according to word received in San Antonio by Judge L. B. Camp from the American Consul at Nuevo Laredo. Judge Camp was seeking information in regard to his cousin, John Camp, who was last heard from two weeks ago.

Judge Camp concluded, as many messages to his cousin have remained unanswered, that Americans are not permitted to send telegrams or letters.

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DR. GUTHRIE SAYS LIBERALS HAVE WON

All That Remains Now, Declares Rector of St. Mark's, Is to Educate the Masses.

DEPLORES THE ARGUMENTS

Virgin Birth of Christ, He Says, Is Being Made a Clinical Question.

Dr. William Norman Guthrie, rector of St. Mark's-in-the-Bouwerie, yesterday entered the Church war between the Modernists and Fundamentalists by stating that the virgin birth of Christ is being made a clinical question.

"I detest discussion and I hate controversy," said Dr. Guthrie, who appeared as a champion of moderation. "But as far as the virgin birth of Christ is concerned, you might just as well scrape the painting off a Rembrandt painting to have the pigment chemically analyzed. In the long run, the Modernist position is bound to triumph. Many scalps will be sacrificed in the process, and how long it will be before the Modernists are victors I cannot say. Perhaps it will be fifty years.

"As a thinker, I do not care a snap of my fingers for the present controversy. I sympathize, of course, with the Rev. L. W. Heaton of Dallas, Texas, who is, I see, to be tried for heresy for alleged denial of the virgin birth of Christ, and I admire Dr. Leighton Parks's announcement last Sunday on the same subject, when he openly flouted the virgin birth and defied Bishop Manning to put him on trial for heresy.

"But this is all beside the point. In the present sphere of the controversy we should try to avoid all questions not vital to the teaching of the Christianity of Christ. Why bring points of dogma and doctrine into the limelight? The Modernist movement will grow by itself in the inner consciences of those who go to church.

Intellectuals With Liberals.

"In point of fact the battle is already won. The intellectuals have definitely ranged themselves on the side of the liberals. It only remains now to educate the masses. In the last 2,000 years the people have, unconsciously to themselves, changed their views in the most extraordinary manner on the most vital questions of Christianity. There have been six different Christian religions since the birth of Christ. But all the time they have used the same words to cover different conceptions.

"Let us see what is at stake at the moment. It resolves itself simply into this: Is Christianity dependent on certain preconceptions? If it is, it is doomed. Modern Christianity must depend on the significance of the ancient myth.

"The discussion of facts underlying—or supposed to underlie—beliefs in Christ are not promotive of religion; they only stir passion and cause mental confusion in the large body of pious people who cannot devote the serious thought to the matter at issue. Again an illustration:

"I am religiously impressed by the glory of the dawn. They say to me, however, that I have no right to my religious impression and to my constant moral quickening unless I first settle the question: 'Does the earth turn or the sun rise?'

"Now, that's a very important scientific question, and should be discussed on its scientific merits. The Church of Galileo's days thought the giving up of the Ptolemaic theory for the Copernican would put an end to Christianity. It did not. These phenomena of the dawn and so-called sunrise remain just the same on either hypothesis. The real animus of the Fundamentalists apart from the loyalty to a literal interpretation of the Bible is an identification of religion with miracles."

Dr. Guthrie has been presented with a gold medal by the Board of Directors of the recently founded Leonardo da Vinci Art School, 258 East Tenth Street, in appreciation of his interest in this institution of applied art, it was announced last night. The official inauguration of the school will take place on Dec. 21 in the auditorium of the old St. Mark's Memorial Building and Dr. Guthrie will be present to receive the gift.

The following letter was received from C. B. Slemp, Secretary to President Coolidge, addressed to Onorio Ruotolo, head of the school:

"My Dear Mr. Ruotolo—The President asks me to thank you for your note of Dec. 12 and to express not merely his highest appreciation of the fine purposes of the Leonardo Da Vinci Art School, but his hope that its efforts may be crowned with a measure of success altogether gratifying to its organizers and students."

Dr. Guthrie said yesterday that he would deliver a fifth sermon next Sunday on the necessity for emulating in our life some of the old pagan traditions. His subject is: "The Prophetic Fury of Hellas as witnessed by Homer and Aeschylus," and he declared that it would "bring up the question of our morals and not Hebraism."

BLIND AID HARDING FUND.

His Interest in Lighthouse Work Made Him Their Friend.

A contribution of $5 from the Blind Women's Club, 111 East Fifty-ninth Street, was among those received for the Harding Memorial Fund yesterday by Arthur Williams, general Chairman for this city. "Mr. Harding showed so much interest in the work at the Lighthouse for the Blind that we all looked upon him as a real friend, and we take great pleasure in adding our mite," said a letter accompanying the contribution.

The Bronx Rotary Club voted a contribution and decided that its members would take up with the industries and organizations they represent the matter of gaining further contributions to the fund.

Five towns in Queens—Jamaica, Richmond Hill, Ridgewood, the Rockaways and Woodhaven—have completed community organizations.

BISHOP MANNING RECEPTION GUEST

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OPENS COMMUNITY HOUSE

Greer Court in West 114th Street Is for Episcopal Students at Columbia.

A reception was tendered to Bishop and Mrs. William T. Manning yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at the formal opening of Greer Court, 544 West 114th Street, just east of Broadway. Greer Court is the second house of a chain of houses for lonely Episcopalians which at the suggestion of Bishop Manning will be opened in different parts of the city under the auspices of the Churchwomen's League for Patriotic Service. All will be named for the late Bishop Greer.

Greer Court, which cost $48,000, is a five-story and basement house. It was bought in September and opened in October. There are rooms for ten young women students. It has restaurant, lunch counter, "Dutch kitchen," library and laundry. Young men can enjoy the dining and club rooms, but only girls can live there. The building was opened in response to frequent appeals from men and girl students at Columbia University for a church club community.

At the reception there were 500 callers, nearly all of whom assured Bishop Manning that they were on his side in the present controversy over Dr. Parks's sermon.

Among the clergymen present were the Rev. Dr. Caleb R. Stetson, rector of Trinity Church; the Rev. Dr. J. H. Randolph Ray, rector of "The Little Church around the Corner"; Dean Howard Chandler Robbins of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, the Rev. Dr. F. W. Crowder of St. James's Church, the Rev. Dr. John R. Atkinson of Christ Church, the Rev. Dr. John P. Steen, for more than fifty years at the Ascension Memorial Church; the Rev. Dr. Charles Edwin Hill of Trinity Chapel, the Rev. Dr. Joseph P. McComas of St. Paul's Chapel, the Rev. Paul Micou, in charge of student work of the National Council of the Episcopal Church.

Church Women to Meet Today.

The Church Women's League for Patriotic Service will hold a meeting at the Church League Club, 130 East Fifty-seventh Street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock. An address will be made by George Gordon Battle, Chairman of the American Committee on Preservation of Holy Places in Palestine. The guest of honor will be the Archbishop Panteleimon Archangelides, representing the Patriarchate of Jerusalem. Bishop Manning will preside.

TO DON DRESS WORN IN RAID FOR DIVORCE

Nurse Named in Suit by Wife of Dentist Plays Scene for the Jury.

Special to The New York Times.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Supreme Court Justice Joseph Morschauser today began hearing testimony in a divorce action brought by Mrs. Katheryn Fowler Stoney of 45 Harmon Avenue, Pelham Wood, against Dr. Arthur Crawford Stoney, a dentist, of 515 Madison Avenue, New York City, in which Miss Mary Thelma, also designated as Mary Nichols, a professional nurse, is named as corespondent.

Miss Thelma, through her counsel, Miss Elizabeth Vilkomerson, interposed a general denial, and it was because of her answer that a jury trial was granted. Dr. Stoney, through his lawyer, Robert W. Maloney, joined the corespondent in fighting the suit, alleging that he met the nurse only through professional work. Mrs. Stoney was represented by Clinton T. Taylor.

It developed during the hearing that the whole case hinges upon the testimony of private detectives who for many days, it is alleged, followed Dr. Stoney and the nurse. Counsel for Mrs. Stoney, in his address to the jury, said that he would prove that Dr. Stoney and Miss Thelma were seen kissing each other, dining together and riding in taxicabs.

The attorney also said evidence would be produced to show that Dr. Stoney and the corespondent went on such short taxicab rides as two or three blocks together. Private Detective Nathan Friedman testified to shadowing Dr. Stoney and the corespondent from her apartment at 502 Amsterdam Avenue on Oct. 19, 1922, to Grand Central Station an dthat before the dentist took a train for Pelham he kissed the woman mentioned several times.

Daniel F. Connor, another private detective, testified to the effect that on Oct. 28, 1922, he followed Dr. Stoney and the nurse in a car to the Yale football game, and that he saw Dr. Stoney with his arm about the neck of the corespondent.

It was learned that the defense will be that Miss Thelma was at the office of Dr. Stoney in her official capacity as a nurse and that there was no undue familiarity.

The plaintiff, it was stated, intends to prove that last March 1 the defendant and the corespondent were found in a raid by detectives in the nurse's apartment. Through her counsel, the nurse, it is reported, has arranged to dress herself in the dress the work when the raid took place to show the jurors that the garments she wore to controvert the testimony of the detectives. She brought the dress to court today in a handbag and will put it on in an anteroom before she goes on the witness stand in her own defense.

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DOUBT IF BISHOP CAN TRY DR. PARKS

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spreading through other denominations with renewed activity. It was apparent that Dr. Parks's dramatic gesture had brought to a climax a situation affecting the whole religious world. In practically all the churches the same battle is going on. The Fundamentalists are demanding the literal interpretation of the Scriptures, and the Modernists insist that the Bible be interpreted in the light of science.

It was reported on good authority yesterday that the Rev. Dickinson S. Miller had offered his resignation as Professor of Apologetics at the General Theological Seminary because of the Bishop's pastoral letter. Dr. Miller is recognized as one of the leading Modernists in the Episcopal Church, and he is said to have been greatly discouraged at the Fundamentalist position taken by the House of Bishops. The Rev. H. E. W. Fosbroke, Dean of the General Theological Seminary, said last night: "I can not discuss that tonight in any way."

It was learned yesterday that the liberals in the Presbyterian Church were pushing a campaign against the five articles of faith put through the last General Assembly of the Church at Indianapolis, where the Fundamentalists imposed their views on the convention. The Presbyterian Modernists are now circulating a protest, which ministers all over the country are signing, against the declaration that belief in the virgin birth, physical resurrection and the rest of the five articles of faith is necessary to Christianity.

Predicts Catholic Outbreak.

The Rev. Stuart L. Tyson, Vice President of the Modern Churchmen's Union, declared that Modernism was spreading through all the denominations, and predicted that it would break out soon even in the Catholic Church. The fact that the Roman Catholic Church had been comparatively free of friction between Fundamentalists and Modernists was attributed by Dr. Tyson to its "marvelous system of discipline," which he said had dealt ruthlessly with priests who dared to teach Modernism.

Dr. Tyson said that the Episcopal Modernists are waiting now for some action by their opponents. He said that the next move was up to Bishop William T. Manning of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of New York, whom Dr. Parks in his sermon last Sunday defied to bring him to trial as a heretic. The Modernists do not expect Bishop Manning to ignore Dr. Parks's defiance, said Dr. Tyson, and anticipate some definite action.

Bishop Manning remained silent again yesterday. He gave no hint of what course he intends to follow, and declined to discuss the case with newspaper reporters. Dr. Parks also kept his peace. He visited St. Bartholomew's Church yesterday afternoon, but sent word to reporters that he had nothing to say. Bishop William Lawrence of Massachusetts, whose recently published book, "Fifty Years," an autobiography, is regarded by the Episcopal Modernists as the best expression of their attempts to reconcile religion with science, attended a meeting of the Church Pension Fund at 14 Wall Street yesterday but declined to discuss the controversy.

J. P. Morgan Won't Comment.

Bishop Lawrence presided at the meeting of the pension fund. Among the prominent members of the church who attended were J. P. Morgan, William Fellowes Morgan, Charlton Yarnall of Philadelphia, Samuel Mather of Cleveland, Robert C. Pruyn of Albany and Morell Sayre, Executive Vice President. Mr. Morgan, after the meeting would make no comment.

The modernist movement in the Episcopal Church has the backing of many influential persons, according to Dr. Tyson. He said that the Tyson Lectureship Foundation, Inc., which he organized to interpret Christianity in the light of modern thought, and which has the same aims as the Modern Churchmen's Union, numbered among its directors George W. Wickersham, Mrs. Herbert Satterlee, who is a sister of J. P. Morgan; Mrs. Henry P. Davison, Judge Edward R. Finch and George Gordon Battle. Mr. Morgan, who is a vestryman of St. George's Church, is said to be a modernist supporter and to be firmly behind the Rev. Karl Reiland, rector of St. George's, who in one of the most influential modernist clergymen in the Tyson Lectureship Foundation is reported to have been organized at a meeting held in Mr. Morgan's library.

Dr. Stires Interviewed.

The Rev. Ernest M. Stires, rector of St. Thomas's Episcopal Church, issued a statement yesterday in which he told of his attempt to reach an amicable settlement in the case of the Rev. Lee W. Heaton, rector of the Trinity Episcopal Church of Fort Worth, Texas, who is now facing trial for heresy on charges brought by the Fundamentalists and whom the Modernists are vigorously defending.

"On Dec. 7," Dr. Stires said, "I asked Mr. Heaton what disposition of his case he would prefer. He replied that he would prefer that the proposed trial should not take place and thta he should be transferred to work in some other diocese.

"After going over the case with Mr. Heaton I called up Bishop Manning and told him that after a careful consideration of the whole matter I did not think there ought to be a trial and that I was going to write to Bishop Moore of Dallas to this effect. Bishop Manning was willing to accept my view of the case. He explained to me he was entirely willing to write to Bishop Moore and express the hope that no trial would be found necessary in the case of Mr. Heaton. And Dr. Manning did write this letter.

In a letter to me under date of Dec. 11, the Bishop Coadjutor of Dallas, Texas, declared that this course would be entirely satisfactory to him. As the principals in the case seem to be of the same mind as to its disposition, it is to be hoped that no partisans of either side will try to prevent that wise and just decision. A little quiet and patience seems to be in order."

Dr. Stires said that his own theological views were in complete accord with the position taken by the House of Bishops in their pastoral letter of Nov. 14 and 15, requiring all ministers of the church to subscribe to the virgin birth and other doctrines enunciated in the creeds. It was this pastoral letter, which all rectors were directed to read to their congregations, that provoked the present storm of protest by the modernists. Dr. Stires said that the pastoral letter expressed the unanimous opinion of the bishops present at the meeting in Dallas, Texas, last month, and that "if other bishops differed it was unfortunate that they did not attend the meeting and make their position known."

Says Mr. Heaton Refuses Transfer.

Dr. Tyson, replying to Dr. Stires's statement about the Heaton case, said that the rector of St. Thomas's had evidently forgotten that Mr. Heaton had refused a transfer by Bishop Moore to another diocese because Bishop Moore had refused to give him a clean bill of health.

"Heaton told me," said Dr. Tyson, "that Bishop Moore said to him: 'I'll be glad to transfer you to another diocese, but I will tell the bishop of that diocese that you are under a cloud.'"

Dr. Tyson denied charges that the modernists were seeking to split the Episcopal church. "Every liberal minister loves his Church and desires to stay in it," said Dr. Tyson. "No liberal minister forces anybody to accept his beliefs. He rejoices that the Church is comprehensive and many-sided. The last thing he wishes is to drive his fundamentalist brother from the Church. But he is determined that he shall have the same liberty that he gladly gives to others."

Speaking on "The Bible in the Light of Modern Thought" before a meeting of the Tyson Lectureship Foundation at the Hotel Plaza yesterday afternoon, Dr. Tyson said that the modern man stood for unrestricted inquiry into the origin and reinterpretation of our religion. "The Bishop's pastoral letter," he added, "is a Fundamentalist production. The Protestant Fundamentalists are a unit in agreeing that God's revelations to man were completed in the seventeenth century. They have a conception of religion that belongs to the Middle Ages."

Calls Bryan Ignorant.

"The Fundamentalists believe that whatever is found between the covers of the Bible is literally true, that there can be no error in it, that it is the infallible last court of appeal and that every part of it is equally true. Mr. Bryan is an ignorant man in questions of history. He knows nothing of history and shows it every time he opens his mouth. He believes that he is speaking the word of Jesus Christ, whereas he and other Fundamentalists are doing nothing more than reproducing a seventeenth century Western European tradition.

"There are Fundamentalists and Modernists in all the denominations. There are Modernists in the Catholic Church, too, but the marvelous system of discipline in that church makes it probable that it will be some time off before Modernism appears in the Roman Catholic Church. When a Catholic priest preaches any Modernism before his congregation, he is whisked off to a monastery, and you never hear of any Modernism in the Catholic Church. Not a newspaper in New York dares to print anything derogatory to the Roman Catholic Church. The newspapers know this and we know it, and we know why they don't print it. It will be a long time before we will hear of Modernism successful in the Catholic Church, but we will hear of it eventually, because it is incredible that any group of men should stand apart from the rest of mankind."

Presbyterian Objections.

Presbyterian ministers, while they made no attempt to conceal the renewed struggle in their denomination between the liberals and conservatives, emphasized, as did Dr. Tyson as regards the Episcopal controversialists, that there would be no split in the Presbyterian ranks. The Presbyterian Modernists are bitterly opposed to the action of the Spring, which decreed that the virgin birth, the physical resurrection and three other articles of faith were essential parts of church doctrine.

Three New York ministers are reported to have signed the protest against the five articles. They are the Rev. William Pierson Merrill of the Brick Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Tertius Van Dyke of the Fifth Avenue Church and the Rev. Theodore Savage of the New York Presbytery. They declined to discuss the protest yesterday. Professor Robert H. Nichols of the Auburn Theological Seminary, Auburn, N. Y., who was charge of the protest, refused to make it public now. It is expected to come out in about two weeks.

One of the Presbyterian Modernists said yesterday that the protest statement does not repudiate the five articles, as has been reported in some newspapers, but that it insists they are not essential and cannot be made a test for the people of the church.

"The church is big enough for everybody," this man said. "This is no insurrection. The organization of liberals is merely the act of a group of people who have got together to reaffirm the belief that the church can hold people who differ in opinion on these matters."

The Rev. F. M. Foster, minister of the Third Reformed Presbyterian Church, in a statement yesterday declared that anybody who denied the virgin birth denied the divinity of Christ and must be not only metaphorically drunk but in the last stages of intellectual delirium tremens.

BAPTIST MISSIONS IN PERIL.

Dr. Law Fears Controversy Will Wreck Financial Support.

A crisis in the case of the Baptist foreign missions has developed as a result of the doctrinal controversy between fundamentalists and modernists, according to Dr. Curtis Lee Law's managing editor of the Watchman Examiner, a national Baptists' organ with fundamentalist leanings. It involves the sum of more than $12,000,000 which the Baptists have pledged themselves to raise to meet missionary deficits before May 1 of next year. Fear is expressed that if the present controversy continues to rage, all Baptist missionary enterprises will be ruined and may cease altogether by the end of next year, except on a very limited scale.

"Unwillingness of those on one side to put up money for the spread of the kind of gospel preached by their antagonists has resulted in a financial pinch that threatens the whole missionary enterprise," said Dr. Laws last night. "In the case of the Baptists the situation has become so serious that I freely admit that I am fearful that those whose views I represent may go too far without recognizing the damage done. Recently I issued a warning that Baptists' foreign mission work must not be wrecked and ruined by those who think that others are wrecking and ruining it. I have asked that those who have made pledges should not withdraw, diminish or divert their contributions elsewhere. To meet the deficit and take up the slack of the New World movement we must raise $18,161,521 within the next five months.

SAYS FUND WON'T BE HURT.

F. D. Roosevelt Confident Cathedral Will Get $15,000,000.

According to Franklin D. Roosevelt, ex-Assistant Secretary of the Navy, the rift within the ranks of the Protestant Episcopal Church should have no effect on the forthcoming drive for a fund of $15,000,000 to complete the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. Mr. Roosevelt is National Chairman of the Cathedral Campaign Committee, and he disagrees with the Rev. Dr. Karl Reiland, rector of St. George's Church, that the drive was practically dead in so far as liberal churchmen were concerned. In a statement Mr. Roosevelt said:

"It is a pity, besides being a fallacy, for any one to say that a controversy between so-called Modernists and Fundamentalists will harm or impede the effort being made to continue the erection of the great cathedral on Morningside Heights. As a matter of fact, the opposite will be the case.

"There need never be fear that the cathedral will represent a narrow or blind doctrine. Years ago the first large gift came from a Christian not a member of the Episcopal Church. Similar gifts have been made year by year. Today men and women of other Churches—Presbyterians, Baptists, Methodists, Congregationalists and many others are working shoulder to shoulder to make the completion of the cathedral possible. Ministers of Churches other than the Episcopal often preach within its walls. It is even now, in its uncompleted state, a great central gathering place for Christians of every grade and variety of belief, not only for New Yorkers, but for the great throng of visitors from many places and climes."

BISHOPS STAND FIRM.

Matthews and Fiske Affirm Belief in Dogmas.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 18.—Although declaring that the controversy in New York and elsewhere in Episcopal circles was as yet not his business, Bishop Paul Matthews of the Diocese of New Jersey asserted today his belief in the virgin birth and bodily resurrection. He gave it as His view that one who does not accept this historic faith of the Church is not a Christian.

"I believe in the historic faith of the Church," he said, "and I stand or fall by it. Of course I believe in the virgin birth, as do all Christians. Those who do not believe in it are not Christians as I understand the term." He added that he did not favor the use of the word "Fundamentalist" or "Modernist," and declared that he would rather refer to himself as "a faithful son of Christ."

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Declaring that the controversy in the Episcopal Church is a matter of honesty, Right Rev. Charles Fiske, Bishop of the Central New York Diocese, called upon clergymen today who do not believe in the virgin birth of the Savior to "step down and out."

"The controversy is a mere question of honesty," the Bishop said. "In my own church it would certainly seem to be such. No man is permitted to be ordained who has not solemnly engaged to conform to the doctrine, discipline and worship of the Episcopal Church.

"His position is personal and official. If his personal belief ceases to accord with the doctrine of the body which he officially represents it would seem to be the part of honesty to step down and out."

HEATON EXPECTS CONVICTION.

Declares Bishops Will Use Result of Trial as a Cudgel.

Special to The New York Times.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 18.—Dr. Lee W. Heaton of Forth Worth, Texas, who expects to be tried soon on a charge of heresy, was here today on his way home from New York. He said:

"The documentary evidence in the case will show that I have done everything honestly possible to avoid a trial. I have not denied the virgin birth of Christ. I do not intend to deny it. So many wonderful and inexplicable things happen in this world that it would be foolish to deny anything. My position is that a belief in the virgin birth is not necessary—that a man can be just as good a Christian without believing it."

Mr. Heaton carried with him here today an affidavit which declares that Bishop Coadjutor Harry T. Moore of the Dallas diocese had said before a witness that Heaton if arraigned in an ecclesiastical court will not have as much chance as a snowball in hell.

"They intend to convict me and then use my conviction as a cudgel over the heads of the rest of the clergy," added Mr. Heaton, who said that the entire affair grows from the fight in Kentucky a year ago, when the State Legislature, after a clash, defeated a bill which would have prohibited instruction concerning the evolution theory in state-supported schools.

"I am a thorough evolutionist," he said. "There can be no conflict between true science and true religion."

DR. WORCESTER'S VIEW.

Modernist Leader Says Disruption of Church Is Possible.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 18.—The Rev. Dr. Elwood Worcester, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church and President of the Modernist Church Union of America, said tonight: "The present movement in the Episcopal Church is simply a progressive movement. Old traditions and creeds, largely the reflection of past generations and their thinking, must necessarily be replaced with new definitions and new methods of setting forth the Christian belief. Bishop Lawrence, by his statement, has simply set a pace for new ventures of assimilating belief.

"No one knows how Bishop Manning will act in this matter of the Rev. Dr. Leighton Parks, who has asked to be tried for the very statement that Bishop Lawrence has set forth. It may be a surprise to many Low universal are the views expressed by Bishop Lawrence.

CHICAGO BACKS BISHOPS.

One Rector Describes Action of Dr. Parks as a "Belasco Act."

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—The utterances of Dr. Leighton Parks, rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, New York, who declared the bishops were not authorized to define doctrine to him as an individual clergyman, were called "fulminations" and his actions that of a "bull in a china closet" by the Rev. F. S. Fleming, rector of the Church of the Atonement. The action of Dr. Parks in going into his pulpit without vestments in order to proclaim his position was called a "Belasco act."

The Rev. John Henry Hopkins, Church of the Redeemer, said:

"I think the bishops are right and Dr. Parks is wrong. It is incomprehensible to me how a man can remain in the church and preach doctrines contrary to its accepted and age-long beliefs."

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Newark Man Stepped in Front of Car Operated by Man He Had Known 25 Years.

SPEEDERS IN FATAL CRASH

Reckless Driver Pursued by Police Meets Death When Machine Hits Tree.

A friendship of twenty-five years had a tragic ending yesterday when Charles L. Strasse, circulation manager of the Newark Evening News, died in his home at 342 Irving Place, South Orange, N. J., of injuries received late the night before when he was knocked down by an automobile operated by Henry A. Auth, business manager of the Newark Star-Eagle. The accident happened in Stanley Road near Dover Street, on the line dividing Newark from South Orange.

Auth and his wife were returning to their home from a Newark theatre when a man stepped from behind two stalled trolley cars in the path of his car. Before he could apply the brake his automobile struck the pedestrian. The occupants of the car jumped out and Auth recognized his friend as the victim of the accident. Strasse, who was 46 years old, tried to make little of his hurts when he discovered that the car was being operated by Auth. He said something to the effect if he must join the host of automobile victims, he preferred to be knocked down by a friend.

Auth was arraigned on a technical manslaughter charge before Police Judge Connelly. He was turned over to the prosecutor of Essex County, who released him in nominal bail.

John Bakash of South River, N. J., was instantly killed and H. B. Davison of the same place was seriously injured last evening when the automobile in which they were returning from a deer hunting trip ran into a tree at Madison Avenue and Carolyn Road, Lakewood. The accident happened when police of several communities were in pursuit of the men for speeding and reckless driving. Bakash was driving the car when it narrowly missed knocking down two policemen at Toms River, who attempted to stop it after it had bowled over two traffic posts.

John Locera, 35 years old, of 407 West Fifty-sixth Street, died in Roosevelt Hospital yesterday of injuries received several days ago when he was knocked down by an automobile at Ninth Avenue and Fifty-sixth Street. Charles R. Arlington, alleged driver of the car, who gave the address 17 East Forty-second Street, was arrested yesterday by detectives of the West Forty-seventh Street Station on a technical charge of homicide.

Chester Dzienkoski, 7 years old, of 12 Elliott Place, Jersey City, was another victim of an automobile accident who died during the day. He was struck by the car operated by James O'Neill of 704½ Oak Street, Jersey City, in front of 324 Baldwin Avenue, that city, the night before. O'Neill carried the boy to the Jersey City Hospital. He was arrested yesterday on a technical charge of manslaughter.

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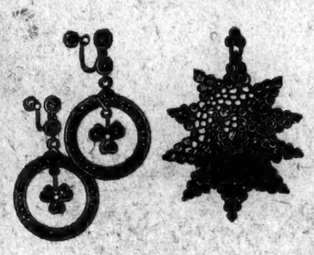

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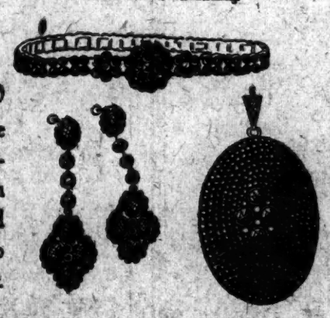

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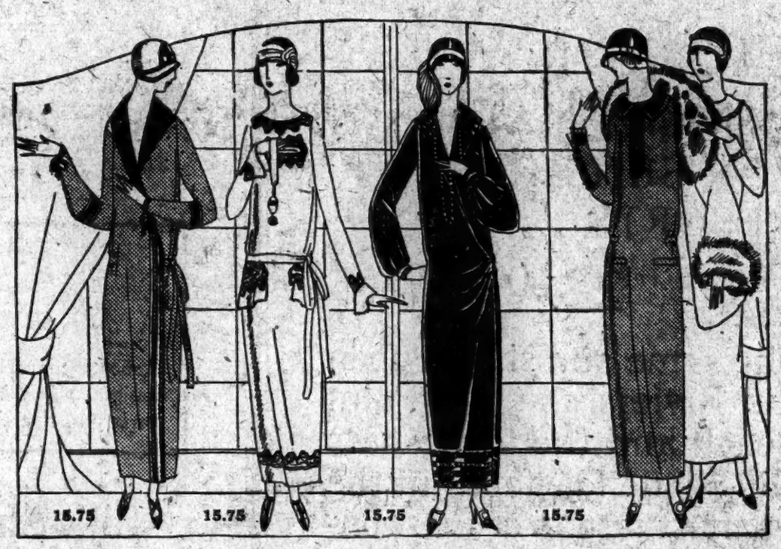

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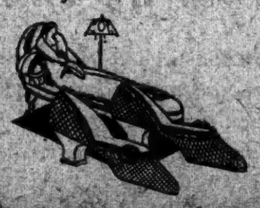

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Testifies He Suspected Zittel, but Publisher Thought He Was Prejudiced.

PORTRAIT IN EVIDENCE

Picture Bearing Inscription "To Zit —W. R. H." Presented After Suit Was Filed.

Joseph A. Moore of the William R. Hearst organization testified yesterday in Mr. Hearst's suit to cancel his contract for the purchase of the Dexter Sulphite Pulp and Paper Mill on the ground that his representative, C. F. Zittel, got a secret commission of $125,000 from the sellers. Mr. Moore was questioned before Justice Bijur by Max D. Steuer for Mr. Hearst, to show that James E. Campbell, one of the owners of the mill sold to Hearst for $3,500,000, had denied knowing anything about any payment to Zittel.

Testimony given by Mr. Campbell before trial was read in evidence, to the effect that he saw a slip of paper bearing the words, "Jim E., $118,750; F. M. $75,000; S., $118,750, Martha Z., $125,000." The "Martha Z." was stated to be Mrs. Zittel. Mr. Moore insisted that he asked Mr. Campbell three times to tell him whether Zittel was to share in the commission, and that Mr. Campbell asserted that he knew nothing about it.

Mr. Moore testified that he advised Mr. Hearst against buying the Dexter mill for the sum stated until after the purported earnings of the mill had been investigated, and that Zittel had become angry and insisted that the deal should be completed because delay might cause the loss of the mill, just as another mill had been lost to Mr. Hearst. Mr. Moore said he was suspicious of Zittel because of his acts in connection with the lease of the Sulzer Harlem River Casino property for the Hearst film organization, and wanted to be sure his conduct in the mill negotiations had been proper. He stated that Mr. Hearst and Zittel had a talk and that Mr. Hearst told him later he thought Moore was permitting his prejudice against Zittel to influence him.

Mr. Hearst was on the witness stand for a short time, and concluded his testimony. He asserted that he had much confidence in Zittel's business judgment. The portrait of Mr. Hearst given by him to Zittel, on March 28, 1922, after the suit to break the paper mill contract had been filed, was produced in court by Zittel. It bore the inscription, "To Zit— W. R. H. With best wishes."

Samuel Seabury, attorney for the defendants asked the Court to direct Zittel to produce certain bank books, but the Court said the books shoul dbe subpoenaed.

"But here is a man now in the employ of Hearst," said Mr. Seabury.

"Yes, and I think he is in your employ, too," retorted Mr. Steuer. "You know more about him than I do. You know all about inscriptions on photographs, of bank books and other things of which I have no knewledge. I certainly am growing suspicious."

Goeffrey Konts, lawyer, and member of Mr. Hearst's executive council, testified that before he drew up the paper mill contract Zittel "insisted that he draw the contract promptly, as the deal must be closed with all possible speed."

The trial will continue today.

CAPT. STURCKEN KILLED FLYING TO GET A DOLL

New Yorker, Seeking a Toy for His Daughter, Dies With Sergeant Ryals in Texas.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 18.—Captain Harold E. Sturcken, commanding officer of the Forty-seventh School Squadron at Brooks Field, was killed near Temple today, with Sergeant Cyril E. Ryals, when their airplane fell.

The captain was making a cross-country flight to Dallas to get a doll for his three-year-old daughter for Christmas. The doll was ordered several days ago, but had not arrived. Fearing that it would not be delivered before the holidays Captain Sturcken obtained permission for the flight to Dallas to get it.

Captain Sturcken was born in New York City in 1884, and joined the army in 1917. He was transferred to the Air Service in 1918, and was graduated from the Air Service Field Officers' School in 1922. His wife and two children survive him.

Sergeant Ryals was a native of Georgia. His home was at Glenwood, in that State.

GIFT HECKSCHER CHARGES.

Committee May Ask Legislation in Its Report.

Whether or not the State Child Welfare Commission will appeal to the State Legislature for a solution of the problems arising from the charges of August Heckscher against the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, will be decided next week when the committee investigating the charges will submit its report to a meeting of the commission.

The committee, consisting of Bernard L. Shientag, Charles H. Johnson, Secretary of the State Board of Charities; Sophie Irene Loeb and T. Channing Moore, in its report, will also discuss the extension of the child welfare movement so that relatives may adopt orphaned children, and the kind of aid to be given to children of unmarried mothers.

MAIL DELIVERIES PROMPT.

No Christmas Congestion, Reports Postmaster Morgan.

Reports received yesterday afternoon by Postmaster Edward M. Morgan from every post office terminal and station in the city showed that all mail was being distpatched as promptly as received. The Postmaster said that with Christmas just one week ahead there was no congestion at any point.

The Berengaria, which arrived yesterday afternoon, brought 10,621 sacks of mail from Europe. A force was ready to dispose of this big shipment as soon as it was in port, and distribution began as soon as the first sacks reached the Post Office in motor vehicles.

At the 212th Regiment Armory, Sixty-first Street and Columbus Avenue, 6,000 sacks of mail for the New England States were handled during the day. At the Ninth Regiment Armory, 125 West Fourteenth Street, 7,100 sacks of parcel post mail for New Jersey and Pennsylvania were received and distributed.

Another People's Surety Dividend.

Jesse S. Phillips and Peter J. Collin asked Supreme Court Justice Callaghan in Brooklyn yesterday to discharge them as receivers of the People's Surety Company, and to authorize a final dividend of $12.84 on each of the 3,500 shares of capital stock. This amount, they said, is to be paid out of a balance of $51,200 remaining in their hands. The receivers have been in charge of the affairs of the company since 1914 and several dividends have been paid. Decision was reserved.

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HUNTINGTON OFFERS HIS ESTATE TO CITY

Pelham Bay Park Mansion and 27 Acres Proposed as Site for a Museum.

SAID TO BE WORTH $400,000

He Is Willing to Take $100,000—To Establish a Departmental or Children's Museum.

An offer by Archer M. Huntington, son of the late Collis P. Huntington, to turn over his estate adjoining Pelham Bay Park, in the Bronx, known as Pleasance, to the city for $100,000, to be used as a departmental or children's museum, was considered yesterday by the Committee of the Whole of the Board of Estimate. The estate comprising twenty-seven acres, is said to be worth between $400,000 and $500,000.

Included in the offer is the Huntington mansion, occupied by the family during the Summer months, the library and other surrounding buildings. Acting Mayor Hulbert and Mr. Huntington have discussed the matter informally, but yesterday was the first time it came officially before the Board of Estimate. His attorneys, Cadwallader, Wickersham & Taft, put the proposition in writing.

"We would say that Mr. Huntington is willing to make such 'conveyance,'" the letter read, "so that the city may establish on said property a departmental museum illustrative of the best methods of operating various departments of the city, and if this is not feasible, then that the city may establish a child's museum similar to the one now being operated in Brooklyn, or possibly may establish both as departmental and a child's museum. Such conveyance to be made safe by Mr. Huntington upon receipt by him from the city of the sum of $100,000, which is much less than the actual value of the property.

"It is scarcely necessary to dwell upon the great educational and practical value to the community at large of the establishment of a departmental museum, so far as we are aware, would be the first established in this country."

Mr. Huntington's offer came as a result of his connection with the city's recent silver jubilee celebration. He was one of six men selected by a special committee at the jubilee exposition as having contributed most toward the city's betterment. He received a municipal flag in recognition of his services. Acting Mayor Hulbert and Mr. Huntington were discussing the exposition, which the latter endorsed in high terms, and then he chanced to mention the proposed sale of his large estate.

"That's a pity," remarked Mr. Hulbert. "It would make a valuable park acquisition and possibly provide for a museum."

"What kind of a museum?" inquired Mr. Huntington.

"Well, a marine park, for instance," said Mr. Hulbert.

Mr. Huntington was not favorably impressed with the suggestion. After a further conversation he proposed departmental museum that would exhibit in miniature the object on view at the exposition. At a later conference Mr. Huntington spoke of a children's museum.

Mr. Huntington is well known as a collector of rare works, including the Huntington reprints, most of which were turned over to the Hispanic Society of America, founded by him. He also aided in establishing and endowing the American Numismatic Museum, the American Geographical Museum and a museum dedicated to Indian life, the buildings of which are grouped at Broadway and 157th Street.

Mr. Huntington's offer will be considered at Friday's meeting of the Board of Estimate.

PARIS GIRL RED GLAD SHE KILLED REPORTER

Sorry She Could Not Also Shoot Leon Daudet, Royalist Paper's Editor.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—There were plenty of thrilling moments for the limited number of spectators admitted to the court when during the first hearing today Germaine Berthon, the girl anarchist, told the story of how she killed Marius Plateau, a reporter, in the office of the royalist newspaper, the Action Française. She is being brought to trial with unusual rapidity as compared with the usual French procedure, the crime dating only to the latter part of last January.

"I regret nothing. My life shall pay for my act." Mlle. Berthon exclaimed after describing how she shot down Plateau when he turned his back in opening the door for her to leave the newspaper office. She regretted she had been unable to kill Léon Daudet, the royalist leader and editor of the paper, explaining that she held the Action Française responsible for the assassination of the Socialist leader Jean Juarès in 1914, for the war and for the campaign against M. Malvy.

EXPLAINS $25,000 SALARY.

Farm Loan Board Tells How Fiscal Agent's Pay Was Approved.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Responding to a Senate resolution, the Farm Loan Board today transmitted a statement of its salaries and expenses, including an explanation of the employment at $25,000 a year of Charles E. Lobdell as fiscal agent and general counsel, which had been criticised by members of Congress.

Creation of the position held by Mr. Lobdell, the statement said, had resulted in a great saving to the Land banks in the marketing of their securities. The action was taken, it was explained, by a resolution unanimously adopted by the twelve Land Bank Presidents June 12 of this year and by which the expense of maintaining a fiscal agent and general counsel was prorated among them.

Salaries and expenses of the twelve Federal Land Banks for the year ended Nov. 30 totaled $2,525,892, the statement said. Those of the board for the current fiscal year, it said, will fall below $382,000.

COOLIDGE SONS ON HOLIDAY

They Arrive From School for a White House Christmas.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The two "Coolidge boys," John and Calvin Jr., arrived from school for their Christmas vacation today. Preparations were begun for a Christmas celebration at the White House, bringing memories of the days of the Roosevelt and Taft Administrations, when there also were boys in the mansion.

Mrs. Coolidge finished her Christmas shopping several days ago. What she bought for John and Calvin Jr. is being kept as much of a secret as if the boys were of the Santa Claus age.

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All-wool mixtures, stripes or plain colors. Conservative worsteds and novelties. Regulars, stouts, slims and shorts. Sizes 34 to 44.

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Single or double-breasted or sports models.

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Frocks for all daytime occasions from our own fine collection marked to this low price to make room for new stocks.

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The new trimmings are featured—for instance, fine metallic braids and lovely embroideries. Sizes 12 to 17.

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Patterns confined exclusively to the London Shop are in this recently arrived group of smart neckties, hand-blocked. Four-in-hands, $3. Bat ties, $1.50.

Street Floor, New Building

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For children who love brave tales of gallant deeds and good

The gift book for children is a delight this year—to buy as well as to give and to receive. Many new books and numerous editions of old favorites with wide-margined comely pages in type that is readable and clear. Illustrations that are veritable works of art, color-plates as fine as original paintings.

Quentin Durward — by Sir Walter Scott. Cover, end-papers and full-page color plates by C. Bosseron Chambers. $3.50.

A Very Little Child's Book of Stories—by Ada M. and Eleanor L. Skinner. Cover, frontispiece and seven full-page illustrations by Jessie Willcox Smith. Old and well-loved tales grouped under three headings: The Child Out of Doors. In the Nursery with Mother Goose. Grandmother's Fireside Tales. $3.50.

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Vinet—by Johanna Spyri, the author of "Heidi," another book of the "Stories All Children Love Series." A story of the Swiss Alps. Full-page color plates by Maria L. Kirk. Translated by Elizabeth P. Stork. $1.50.

The Great Adventure of Mrs. Santa Claus—by Sarah Addington. Illustrated in color by Gertrude A. Kay. A charming book for quite wee folks just beginning to read to themselves. $1.75.

Land and Sea Tales for Boys and Girls—by Rudyard Kipling. Most of it made up of stories and poems that have never before been published. Rudyard Kipling's first book for children since *Rewards and Fairies*. Another unforgettable adventure of the famous *Stalky*, poems as inspiring as *If*, tales whose charm is reminiscent of *Kim* and *Captains Courageous*. $1.75.

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Envious eyes will turn your way in club-house or green, for the number of sets is strictly limited—and we have them exclusively.

For Men, $125 9 clubs and bag — **For Women, $85** 8 clubs and bag

Street Floor, New Building

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FOR WOMEN

Reynier gloves—the finest made—therefore, the perfect gloves for gifts.

3-clasp glace gloves, overseam sewn. Black, white, gray, brown or beaver, $3.25.

2-clasp glace kid gloves, pique sewn. Black, white, gray, brown or beaver, $3.75.

12-button length glace kid gloves, overseam sewn. Black, white or beaver, $6.50. Also 12-button length suede gloves in gray, mode or black, $6.50.

16-button length glace kid gloves, overseam sewn. Black, white or beaver, $8.50. Also 16-button length suede gloves in black, gray or mode, $8.50.

20-button length glace kid gloves in black or white, $12.

Gloves from Paris—adorable cuffed gloves, for this is a favorite Paris mode, in three very new and very distinctive models. One of washable doeskin, beige color, with a petal shaped cuff; another of black kid with its cuff done in eyelet embroidery and lined in blue; and the same glove in beige-colored suede lined with black. $4 pair.

Woolen gloves, $1 to $8.

Fur-lined gloves of gray or tan suede, in tan kidskin—two-clasp, $7.50 pair; gauntlets, $8.50 pair.

Fleece or wool-lined gloves, $2.50 to $9 pair.

Washable fabric gloves, in all lengths, $1 to $3 pr.

MEN'S GLOVES

Tan capeskin gloves, $3.

Mocha gloves in gray or beaver, $4.50 and $5 pair.

Silk-lined mocha gloves, in gray, $5.50 pair.

Buckskin gloves in gray or natural color, $3.75 and $4.50 pair.

Lined gloves, $2 to $9 pr.

Woolen gloves, $1 to $3.50 pair.

CHILDREN'S GLOVES

Tan capeskin gloves, $2.

Gray mocha gloves, $2.

Lined gloves, $1.25 to $4.

Woolen gloves, 85c to $1.50 pair.

Boys' fleece lined gauntlets, $1 and $1.25 pair.

Women's Gloves, Street Floor, Old Building
Men's Gloves, Street Floor, New Building

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Gifts for Men

A Sale of Raccoon Coats

$195 to $350

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A timely suggestion! Beautifully matched, thickly furred skins. Warm wool linings in smart patterns. Careful workmanship in every little detail.

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3,000 Broadcloth Shirts, $1.95

Imported broadcloth in white; tan; blue. A fine heavy cloth with a soft, lustrous sheen.

The shirts are very well made, with soft cuffs and soft bosoms. Correctly sized from 14 to 17, with sleeve lengths 33 to 35.

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SPECIALIZED SERVICE — STREET FLOOR

FINDS DRY NET GETS ONLY THE MINNOWS

Judge Mack Thinks It's a Pity Some of the "Big Fellows" Aren't Brought In.

BEER SELLER IS FINED $1

But Dealers in $1 Whisky and $25 Champagne Wouldn't Get Off So Lightly.

Federal Judge Julian W. Mack scored the police and the prohibition forces yesterday for spending so much time rounding up petty offenders of the Volstead act and failing to concentrate attention on the big offenders.

Indignant because of the large number of petty cases of liquor violators in the Federal District Court, Judge Mack declared there were thousands of places where whisky could be bought at $1 a glass and champagne for $25 a bottle.

"It seems a pity we cannot get some of the big fellows," he said. "It is too bad that the officers will only bring in poor fellows like Russian Jews, Greeks, negroes and Italians on these violations. It will be a great many dollars and a great many days if we get one of the big fellows."

The case at bar was that of Mack McKinney, a negro porter, who entered a plea of guilty of having sold a glass of beer of more than the legal alcoholic content for 10 cents. The pettiness of the case and the comparatively excessive amount of time spent on it by the arresting officer evoked Judge Mack's comment. He fined McKinney $1. The negro, an employe in the formerly licensed liquor saloon at 536 Lenox Avenue, sold the beer to Detective Samuel Rosenblatt of the Special Service Squad at Police Headquarters.

Emanuel (Manny) H. Kessler and Morris Sweetwood, convicted liquor law violators, were taken from their cells in the Tombs yesterday to the Pennsylvania Station, where they boarded a train for Atlanta to serve prison terms. They were sentenced to two years and fined $10,000 each. The men were in charge of United States Marshal William C. Hecht and several deputies.

Ben Katz and Al Goldman, convicted with Kessler, and whose bail of $5,000 was discharged Monday, surrendered yesterday to Marshal Hecht and were taken to the Essex County (N. Y.) Penitentiary to serve a six months' sentence. Following their conviction they were again arrested on a charge of selling liquor. When he learned of the new charge Assistant United States Attorney John Holley Clark moved for a discharge of bail, which was granted, the men having obtained their release pending their appeal. The men decided to drop their appeal on the first conviction.

A defection of ten vessels from the rum fleet between Ambrose Channel and Long Branch was observed yesterday off Atlantic Highlands. It is believed that much of the $1,500,000 liquor supply on the seventeen vessels in Rum Row recently was disposed of and smuggled to shore.

Middlesex County detectives seized 100 cases of whisky in a deserted barn on a tributary of Raritan Bay near Morgan, N. J., yesterday. Six motor boats were nearby and their occupants fled.

Pleas of not guilty to charges of burglary were entered before Judge Cockburne in New Rochelle yesterday by Philip Gargan, Chief of Police of Pelham Manor; Motor Cycle Patrolman Julius Joeschker, and David A. Burke, manager of the New York Athletic Club at Travers Island. They were paroled for a hearing on Dec. 27. Gargan, Joeschker and Burke were arrested Monday on the complaint of Benjamin Johnson of Travers Island, who asserted that they seized liquor without a warrant from his son Maurice at the latter's boathouse on Travers Island.

COOLIDGE HOLDS UP ARKANSAS ROAD AID

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had not the President acted with the promptness he did Federal aid probably would have been restored to Arkansas before the New Year. A letter to this effect had been drafted, it was said, and was awaiting the signature of Secretary Wallace.

Mr. Barrett acted in response to a resolution passed by the recent National Convention of the Farmers' Union, held at Omaha. The memorandum which he presented to the President said:

"First—Investigation will disclose the fact that hundreds, if not thousands, of farms, in most instances the lands of poor people, are now in the hands of Federal receivers as a result of the inability of those farmers to meet the highway taxes.

"Second—Right or wrong, the opinion is general in the farming communities that the Bureau of Highways of the Department of Agriculture in giving its approval to the so-called Harrelson law, recently enacted and which perpetuates the existing Arkansas road district system for years to come, has by this approval made it possible for the Arkansas road machine to add additional millions in taxes to the staggering burden of these farmers, thousands of whom are facing the confiscation of their properties.

Highway Commissioner Accused.

"Third—The Chairman of the new State Highway Commission authorized by the Harrelson law is Herbert R. Wilson, the State Highway Commissioner, against whom serious charges involving the sale of Federal-aid money on a 10 per cent. basis are now on file in the Bureau of Highways. Robert Lee Wilson of Wilson, Ark., ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois and L. C. Yingling, the District Attorney at Helena, Ark., I am informed, are familiar with the facts in certain of these alleged Federal-aid sale propositions.

"Fourth—The Little Rock Gazette, the principal paper of Arkansas, has stated within the last week that Federal Bureau officials have been in conference with Wilson and are understood to be ready to restore Federal aid to the State in a total sum, I am informed, in excess of $2,000,000.

"Fifth—The evidence is conclusive that the only thing that has operated to relieve, in a very small way, the overburdened farmer taxpayers was the withdrawal in January of this year of Federal aid, its restoration, it was stated by the Secretary of Agriculture, depending on a reform of the law and a lessening of the tax load on the land owners.

"Sixth—Under the new law the people were promised State relief in the amount of $3,000,000 annually. Already the relief, which, according to well-informed citizens, is largely 'mythical' and intended solely to perpetuate the régime now in power, has been reduced to $2,900,000. Even the road administration makes no claim that the relief will be substantial, as the cold facts are that in no instance will the relief, if it is realised, touch the principal of the road bond debt, every cent of which is levied against the land, in most instances farm lands. As a matter of fact, which the facts in the case will disclose, in no instance does the promised relief care for as much as 50 per cent. of the interest charge in 85 per cent. of the counties.

"Seventh—Federal aid in Arkansas has been used as a bait in saddling this outrageous burden on the farmers of the State. Its restoration now means the endorsement by this Government of a situation with few parallels in the history of this country, a situation as cruel as it is indefensible."

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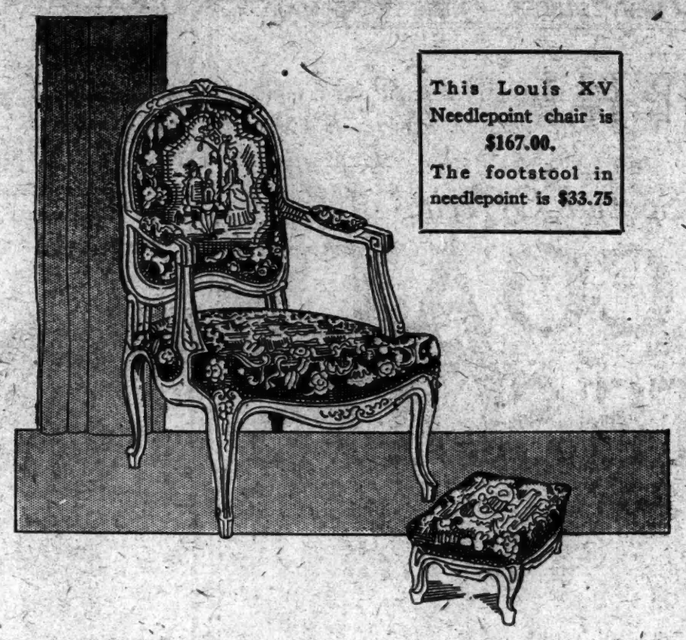

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Louis XV and Louis XVI footstools. Delightful patterns and colors in needlepoint. $33.75

Fireside, piano, and hall benches. Needlepoint mounted on Louis XV and Louis XVI frames. A few carved solid walnut benches, Charles II style. $82.50 to $337.00

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Delivery for Christmas

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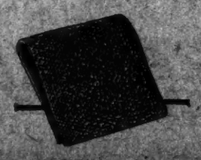

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Tortoise Shell Spanish Combs, $25 to $45
Genuine Coral Necklaces at $10.95 to $33
Tortoise Shell Barrettes, $4.95 to $8.95
Genuine Carved Cameos from $6.95 to $36
Novelty Filigree Lace Pins at 95c to $1.25

Glass from Venice
Venetian Glass Compotes; Candlesticks; Vases; Perfume Bottles; Candy Jars; Table Decanters; $1 to $100.

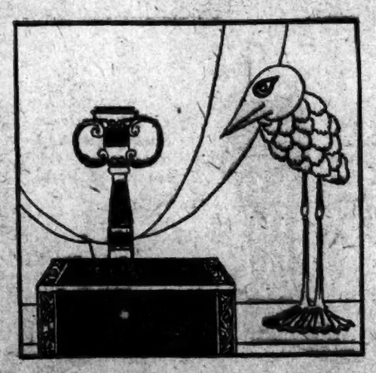
Pottery from Florence
Terra Cotta Jardinieres and Vases; Florentine Boxes; Carved Leather Novelties; Book Ends; $1 to $35.00.

Pottery from Naples
Flower Baskets; Jardinieres; Centre Pieces; Fruit Bowls; Trinket or Bonbon Dishes; in cream, and color, $1 to $10.

Lamps from Venice
Floor Lamps in clear, Beautiful Alabaster pure tones; marble torchieres, ornate table pieces, $19.50 to $400

Silks from Como
Rich Black Satin Charmeuse made as only the people of Como can. Priced, per yard, $4.50

Pottery from Bassano
Wall pockets; candlesticks; jardinieres; fruit baskets; candy jars; decorated with flowers, $1.95 to $35.



Novelties from Italy

Embroidered Pillow Slips, $8.00 to $65
Embroidered Vanity Sets priced $16.50
Colored Straw Baskets at 75c to $5.95
Small Prints of religious subjects, 50c
Jewel Boxes priced from $1.95 to $3.50

Gifts from Central Europe

Knitted Apparel from Vienna

Artificial Silk Sweaters, $8.95.
Artificial Silk Jacquettes, $10.00.
Artificial Silk Golf Coats, $10.00.
Wool Knitted Suits, $25 to $97.50.
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Linen from Plauen

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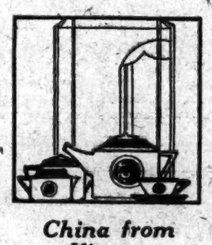

China from Vienna
Petit-Point Mounted Accessories, Desk Sets; Flower Bowls; Match Boxes; Match Box Holders, 95c.; Flower Holders, $3.9x.

Jewelry from Dantzig

Real Amethyst Necklaces from $16.95 to $45.00.
Real Topaz Necklaces priced from $13.95 to $49.95.
Real Amber or Cornelian Necklaces at $13.95 to $60.
Real Amber Pendants priced from $2.95 to $7.95.

Silver from Hanau
Bon-bon Dishes, 95c to $9.95
Fruit Baskets, $5.95 to $19.95
Flower Baskets, $10.95 to $37.50.
Salt Sets from $1.50 to $5.50
Library Sets at 95c to $3.95
Manicure Sets, $1.95 to $18.95.
Fruit Baskets, to $37.50.

Viennese Novelties

Small Filet Point Medallions priced 65c to $6.95.
Novelties in Petit Point Jewel Boxes from $5.95 to $22.50.
Cigarette Boxes, brush and trays, priced up to $75.
Doll Pin Cushions in various colors at $1.25 to $1.95.

Home Needs from Nuremberg and Berlin

Bon-bon or Fruit Baskets, 15c to 90c
Bread or Roll Trays from 29c to 79c
Wooden Spoons priced from 39c to 49c
Spoon and Fork Salad Sets, 19c to 75c
Salt Boxes in various designs, at 59c
Cereal Sets, decorated, $1.97 to $2.49

Novelties from Berlin and Offenbach

Doll Pin Cushions from 75c to $1.75.
Work Boxes in various styles, $5.95.
Wicker Trays with metal edge, $2.75.
Trinket Trays with prints at 69c.
Metal Ash Trays at 45c.

Lamps from Leipsic

Lady Lamps of glass—in colors, at $7.50.
Hall Lamps with alabaster urn top in colors, $19.50 to $32.50.
Quaint Brass Cut-out Hall Lamps up to $29.50.
Mushroom Glass Lamps, red and white, $7.50.
Small Table Lamps with glass shades or leaded shades, up to $17.50.

China from Carlsbad
Fine Plates, Service Plates, Toast Racks, Breakfast Sets, Cereal Sets, Fancy Jugs, Tea Sets, 23-Piece Tea Sets, yellow with black medallion, $15.95.

Jewelry from Coblenz

Novelty Necklaces in all colors at 95c to $5.95.
Novelty Earrings, hoops, pendants, at 95c to $2.95.
Novelty Bracelets, jeweled, flexible, 95c to $2.95.
Bar Pins and Brooches priced from 95c to $2.95.

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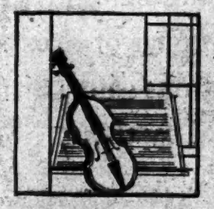
Telephone Registers, 50c.
Owl Head Paper Weight with desk bell, priced $3.00.
Auction Bridge Score, 25c.



Musical Instruments from Berlin

Fine Violins, $4.95 to $59.50.
Violin Strings priced $1.50
Violin Bows from 95c to $10.95.
Portable Phonographs at $9.95.
Table Phonographs at $11.95
Saxophones from $69 to $125
Accordeons at $2.95 to $22.95

Leather Goods from Berlin

Hand-crocheted Bead Bags, $15 to $37.
Electric Perfume Burners to $37.50.
Flask and Bottle Sets, $3.50 to $20.
Leather Handbags from $1.65 to $25.
Manicure Sets from $1.00 to $7.50.
Children's Hand-bags, 50c to $2.50.

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Oriental Rugs

Rugs from China, from 2x4 feet to 9x12 feet; various colors and typical Oriental designs, priced from $24.40 to $193
Rugs from Turkey and Persia: Mosuls, Persians, Beloochistans, Caucasians, Scatter sizes. Rich colors, $27.50 to $57.50

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Oriental 'Kerchiefs
Silk; pongee and chiffon voile; plain and embroidered. Men's and women's, 25c to $1.50.

Oriental Slippers
Boudoir Slippers in colored silk with silk embroidery and pompons. Also suede for women, 59c to $2.25.

Oriental Candies
Mixed fruits; chow-chow; delicious, different! Ginger, in stone jars; ready to give, 49c

Oriental Art Objects
Satsuma; incense-burners; embroidery, typical designs and colors, $1.95 to $250.

Oriental Lamps
Quaint lamps of Japanese porcelain or lacquer. With shades, $49.50 to $450.

Oriental Kimonos

Silk Quilted Lounging Robes, $10.75-$25
Silk Quilted House Jackets priced at $12.75
Silk Quilted Vests at $1.95, $2.95, $3.05
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ALDERMEN APPROVE PARK RADIO PLAN

Board Authorizes Whalen to Go Ahead With Project for $50,000 Station.

REPUBLICANS OPPOSE IT

Intended for Use of Police and Fire Departments—Gallatin's Permission Needed.

Authorization to prepare plans for the installation, at a cost of $50,000, of a municipal radio station in Central Park was granted by the Board of Aldermen yesterday on the application of Grover A. Whalen, Commissioner of Plant and Structures. The action was taken in the face of protests by the Republican members of the board, who criticized the use of park property for such a purpose.

Several weeks ago Commissioner Whalen made formal application to Park Commissioner Francis D. Gallatin for permission to install the station. His application for authority to arrange for the expenditure of $50,000 for material and installation without public letting of contracts was made at the same time.

Commissioner Whalen told the Board of Aldermen that the plant was intended solely for the use of the Police and Fire Departments. This brought an assertion from Alderman William F. Quinn, Republican, that the chief function would be the broadcasting of political matters favorable to the Hylan Administration.

Quinn Will Seek to Defeat It.

"It will be busiest around election time," said Alderman Quinn. "Commissioner Whalen has given many reasons why there should be such a station, but not a single one explaining why it should be located in Central Park. It is a commercial proposition, and as a representative of the Central Park West district I intend to do all possible to defeat it."

Commissioner Whalen proposes, if he receives authority from the Park Department, to erect the station on top of the workshops in the rear of the reservoir at Eighty-sixth Street. It was said that one of the reasons cited for choosing the park for the installation was that the station erected atop of the Municipal Building was unsuccessful. The matter is still before the Park Department. Commissioner Gallatin has said that he intends to study the plan in detail to determine whether it would be an encroachment upon the Park.

The proposed radio station is one of a series of plans contemplating the use of park property which recently has stirred defenders of the arks. The first was the proposed extension of the Washington Heights subway through the westerly edge of Central Park by open-cut construction methods. Another plan which drew protests from societies interested in the preservation of the parks called for the setting aside of four and one-half acres of Central Park for a music and art centre.

To Discuss Menaces to Parks.

The frequency with which new plans are being put forward to use the parks for various purposes has led to a proposal for a mass meeting at which the real or supposed threats against the parks will be discussed as a whole. It is understood that several organizations are contemplating callin gthe meeting and that it is likely to be held in the near future.

The Washington Heights subway proposal is expected to be taken up this week at a joint meeting of the Transit Commission and the Transit Committee of the Board of Estimate. A substitute plan has been suggested by George McAneny, Chairman of the Transit Commission, whereby the use of the park would be avoided. Members of the Board of Estimate have intimated that some way will be found to save the park.

MUSSOLINI REPUDIATES PLAN TO HOLD ELECTION

Premier Says in a Letter That He Has Not Decided to Consult the Country.

ROME, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—Premier Mussolini dropped another bombshell in political circles today when, in a letter addressed to Minister of Public Works Carnazza, he said, with reference to the holding of new elections, that he had not decided to consult the country.

At the time of the closing of Parliament by royal decree on Dec. 10 it was freely predicted that he would ask later for a decree of dissolution as a prelude to a general election.

The leaders of the political parties had been preparing for a new election and some members of the Chamber of Deputies had already gone back to their homes to consult the voters. The whole country seemed to have settled down to a pre-election status, with the holding of caucuses and conferences. Political discussions were being recorded daily in the newspapers.

The recent closing of the parliamentary session did not affect the present personnel of Parliament. The old deputies are still in office until a decree is promulgated dissolving Parliament and calling for another election.

"It is certain," says The Giornale d' Italia, "that the announcement closing the parliamentary session put the country in a pre-election state of mind. The Government must stabilize its platform and then the political parties must adjust themselves accordingly."

In some political circles it is the belief that Premier Mussolini intends to call Parliament together again next Spring, when the King will open the deliberations with an speech. On the other hand, there are still predictions of an election, in which there is talk of a probable coalition of the minority parties, including some of the parties of the Right, with the Fascisti.

CITY BREVITIES.

Captain Anton Heinen, German consultant of the Navy Department in the construction and operation of the ZR-1, will lecture at the 42d Street Division of New York University, 80 Trinity Place, tomorrow noon.

The Kentuckians will hold their fifth annual dinner at the Hotel Plaza Thursday evening, Jan. 17, honoring Major Gen. Henry T. Allen.

The Peace Temple established at 106th Street and Fifth Avenue by Mrs. J. Sergeant Cram will be dedicated tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Bishop Lloyd and the Rev. Samuel Schulman will speak.

The directors of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, Lexington Avenue and Ninety-second Street, presented a bronze statue last night to Justice Irving Lehman, President of the organization for the past eight years. The statue, called "Hillel and Shammai," represents two schools of legal interpretation, Hillel advocating mercy and Shammai the rigidity of the law.

The Macfadden Publications, Inc., is giving a silver jubilee ball at the Hotel Astor tonight to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of its series of physical culture journals, in which there are now nine popular magazines.

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Glace or suede, seamless knit lining..$3.75 to $6.00
Glace and suede fleece lined.....$3.50 to $4.50
Imported Scotch wool gloves, Vicuna, camel and brushed wool.....$1.00 to $3.50
Van Vleet's famous auto gloves, made of finest horsehide or capeskins, lined with lambskin, fur or thick woolly fleece. With plain or grip palms, strap wrists or gauntlets. In black and dark tan.
Gloves.....$2.50 to $7.50
Gauntlets.....$4.50 to $12.50

WOMEN'S GLOVES

Imported English long suede gloves, fur lined and trimmed, others lined with fleece. Some with strap wrist, some with elastic gathered at wrist.....$3.50 to $12.50
One and two-button glace and suede with fur lining.....$4.50 to $7.50
One and two-button glace and suede with seamless lining.....$3.75 to $5.00
One and two-button glace and suede with fleece lining.....$2.50 to $3.50
Imported Scotch knit wool skating gloves, in real Angora, Vicuna, camel and brushed wool. Plain wrist, leather bound wrists with clasp, and long comfortable gauntlets.....$1.25 to $3.50

CHILDREN'S GLOVES

Fur lined gloves.....$4.50
Mocha gloves with strap wrist, seamless lined.....$3.00
Mocha gloves, seamless lined, 1 button.....$2.50
Mocha gloves, kid gloves, cape gloves, all with warm woolly fleece lining—also wool lined kid mittens..$1.50 to $2.00
Strong, sturdy Scotch knit gloves for boys.....75c
Soft, wool gloves in camel color, for girls and little tots, $1.00
Long wrist skating gloves in beautiful color combinations; thick fleecy wool.....$1.00 to $1.50

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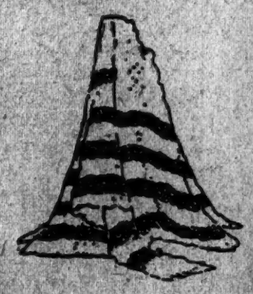
2003B Alpaca coat sweater in two tone combinations of copen and camel, oxford and white, or camel and brown, $18.

Princess sheer silk stockings in albino, lariat, tortoise, Sahara and all the other new Peck & Peck shades, $3.50. Others from $2 a pair.

20 This delicate Shetland lace scarf comes in many soft colors. Special price, $5.



Smart sport stockings of Scotch and English making and gay patterns cost from $4.50 upward.

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AMUSED BY STORY OF 'KING' SINCLAIR

Friends in Wall Street Take a Humorous View of Albanian "Offer."

BUT REPORT IS RENEWED

One Faction of the Monarchist Party Said to Be for the American Oil Man.

Cabled reports that the throne of Albania had been offered to Harry F. Sinclair, American oil man, in succession to Prince William of Wied, in the hope that he might put the country on a sound financial basis, were scoffed at yesterday by business associates of Mr. Sinclair, who declared that his multitudinous enterprises in this country keep him much busier than the finances of Albania ever could.

Mr. Sinclair himself could not be reached yesterday for an expression of his opinion on the report, as he was absent from his office for the day on a trip to inspect some recently acquired horseflesh.

His associates at his headquarters in New York, however, considered the dispatch in humorous rather than serious fashion. This reception of the dispatch was not confined entirely to Mr. Sinclair's friends in New York. Several telegrams were received at his office addressed to "Kink Sinclair."

"You can take it from me," declared one of Mr. Sinclair's friends, "that running his big string of horses, trying to sell all of the oil his wells are producing, keeping his pipe lines in order and the hundred and one other things in which Mr. Sinclair is financially interested, afford him more fun and more profit than could any other job. It is my own opinion, although I have not had opportunity to consult him about it, that Harry wouldn't trade places with the King of England."

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ROME, Dec. 18.—A telegram from Tirana confirms that one section of the Albanian monarchist party has informally tendered the kingship to Harry F. Sinclair, through his agents, but the other section, headed by Alif Pasha, who is at Vienna, is working for the return of Prince William of Wied.

If these monarchists obtain power at the elections this month they will offer Mr. Sinclair the kingship and exclusive oil concessions if he will make the Government a substantial loan.

Mr. Sinclair's agents have been fighting the French, British and Italian interests for the Albanian oil fields for several years. In this way his personality has become well known in Albania.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—Albania is headed for financial disaster, according to J. D. Hunger, financial adviser to the Albanian Government, who reported to the Council of the League of Nations tonight that he estimates the deficit in the country's 1924 budget at 7,000,000 gold francs, or 30 per cent. of the budget. M. Hunger recommends the abolition of the Albanian army, discharge of one-fifth of the State officials, and ruthless economies everywhere.

The League's Financial Committee, commenting on the report, says that it has followed the economic disorganization in various parts of Europe and fears that the causes of the chaos elsewhere are producing the same results in Albania.

M. Hunger, a native of Holland, was employed by Albania to reorganize her finances. The League, which selected him, receives his reports.

INDICTS JUSTICE IN EXTORTION PLOT

Boston Grand Jury Names E. L. McManus With Corcoran in $53,800 Larceny.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—Predictions that the Suffolk County Grand Jury investigation of charges of blackmail would involve persons of prominence were verified today when Edward L. McManus, a former Representative in the State Legislature and now Special Justice attached to the First Southern Middlesex District Court at Framingham, was indicted for conspiracy to extort and larceny. He pleaded not guilty and was given until tomorrow to furnish bonds of $2,500.

The larceny charged is that of $53,800 from Major Joseph E. Osborne, a leather dealer of this city and Peabody. The money was paid by Major Osborne, it is charged, under threat of an alienation suit in the case of Mrs. Ida A. Hart, wife of John E. Hart, said to have been found in a Boston hotel in company with Osborne. The Harts were later divorced.

William J. Corcoran, former District Attorney of Middlesex County, and already under indictment for larceny and conspiracy, was made co-defendant in the indictment, as was J. Warren Kane, indicted with Corcoran on the earlier charges.

In another indictment returned today Corcoran, Kane and Michael J. Lyons are charged with a general conspiracy to extort money from unknown persons.

McManus represented his home town of Natick in the Legislature from 1904 to 1906, and was appointed a Special Justice by Governor Fess in 1912.

The indictment of Ernest B. Spracklin, manager of the Copley Square Hotel in Boston, after his recent testimony in the Corcoran trial, became known today when his attorney was notified to produce him in court to answer to charges of conspiracy to extort money.

LAYS RUIN TO SLAIN MODEL.

Guimares Says He Lavished $60,000 on Dorothy King.

New light was thrown yesterday on the murder of Dorothy King last March when Albert E. Guimares, arraigned before Federal Judge Mack to be sentenced for swindling, admitted that his acquaintance with the young model had lasted a year and had cost him $60,000.

One of Dorothy's other friends during the same period was the son-in-law of a Philadelphia banker, and the intimation was that the rivalry this occasioned had driven Guimares to unstreamed-of extravagance. Guimares said that he wanted money so much that he ceased operating an oil company in which he had invested $100,000 on honest lines and used it anyway he could to get quick returns.

Guimares was in complete control of himself when he and three of his companions, also convicted on the same charge, were brought into court. Judge Mack questioned Guimares about the $60,000 he had squandered, and asked him if he had really spent so much.

"That's true," replied the prisoner. "I spent it in less than a year on a young woman."

At first Guimares withheld the name of Miss King, but later let it be known that she was the young woman on whom he had lavished the money.

Guimares was sentenced to the Atlanta Penitentiary for three years; Henry W. Fields, an associate, received a like sentence, and Frank B. Sheldon and William S. Kaas, engaged in the same swindle, were each sentenced to one year in the Essex, N. J., jail. During the arraignment the young wife of Guimares sat in the rear of the courtroom with her handkerchief to her eyes.

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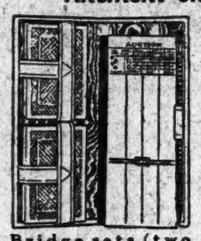

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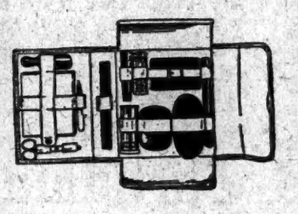

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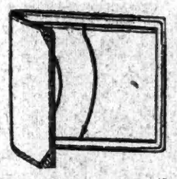

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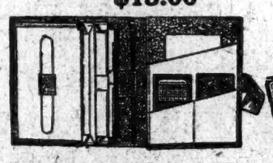

Writing Case of Beaver Calf, made with several pockets for paper and envelopes, fitted with small address book and calendar, pencil and letter opener—space for fountain pen.
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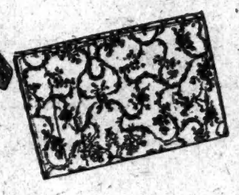

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I WILL bear in mind that in A Merry Christmas the dollar sign comes at the end.

I WILL put cheer in people's hearts even if I cannot put anything in their stockings.

I WILL remember that about the only thing that has never been REDUCED is the value of a smile.

I WILL also remember that there has never been an overproduction of kind words.

I WILL therefore be liberal at least with the things that don't cost anything!

AND I WILL begin today, because it will be another year before Christmas comes again.

A Merry Christmas

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TWO MORE 'DRIVES' ARE INVESTIGATED

The District Attorney's Office Widens Scope of Its Inquiry Into Yuletide Appeals.

MERCHANTS ALSO ACTIVE

Report That Several Prominent Men Asked Veterans' Organizations Not to Use Their Names.

Two more organizations were brought yesterday within the scope of District Attorney Banton's investigation of organizations gathering funds in the holidays without giving satisfactory replies as to the purpose in soliciting the money. On the previous day, the prosecutor announced that Assistant District Attorney Alexander Lehman was investigating six organizations at the request of Bird S. Coler, Commissioner of Welfare.

The organizations brought into the investigation yesterday were the Guardians of the Poor and Needy, 155 East Seventh Street, and the Civil Employes Association of World War Veterans, which is arranging for a ball to be given in the early part of the coming year. Mr. Banton explained that his attention had been called to these by Commissioner Coler.

The Merchants' Association issued a statement revealing that some time ago it had begun an investigation of the National Disabled Soldiers' League, one of the organizations which Mr. Banton announced he had under investigation. The statement said that the association communicated with eleven of the nineteen persons whose names had been used in the league's letterhead as forming an advisory board, and which were dropped, according to Mr. Banton, when Commissioner Coler began an investigation of the league.

Lee Garnett Day, a member of the Merchants' Association, said that he had received replies from Samuel McRoberts, President of the Metropolitan Trust Company, stating that he had resigned from the league's board some time before; Augustus Thomas, Executive Chairman of the Producing Managers' Association of New York, to the effect that he had asked the league to withdraw his name, and former United States Senator William M. Calder that he did not approve of the manner of raising money for the league.

Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas wrote: "I am not in sympathy with the methods adopted by the National Disabled Soldiers' League to raise money and have asked them to withdraw my name from their Advisory Committee." Former Controller Herman Metz replied: "I have asked for a statement several times, but so far have not received it and have asked Mr. Nolan [the President] to take my name off the list."

Mayor-elect W. Freeland Kendrick of Philadelphia said he had requested that his name be withdrawn from the advisory board, after hearing the organization severely criticised. Eugene J. Zukor of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation wrote that, after investigating the organization, he had "come to the conclusion that it is not the kind one wishes to be associated with, and already have requested that my name be removed from all of its literature." He added that he never authorized the use of his name.

SAYS FEWER SUNSPOTS KEEP TEMPERATURE UP

H. J. Cox, Chicago Forecaster, Also Declares Low Pressure Drift Has Changed.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Henry J. Cox, local forecaster, said today that the prevailing warm weather this Fall was due mainly to two causes.

"The low pressure areas have taken a northerly route, whereas they ordinarily travel South," he said. "As the wind always blows toward the low pressure areas, southwest winds have prevailed for the last two months. Also the sun at this time has a minimum of spots on it, thus permitting greater light and heat to reach the earth, causing higher temperatures generally."

Mr. Cox said that the temperature in Chicago last month did not fall below 31 degrees. This is the highest minimum for November since 1873. He predicted warm weather for probably three days more.

UPHOLDS WESTERN UNION.

Commerce Board Reaffirms Decision in Press Rate Dispute.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Interstate Commerce Commission, after reargument, reaffirmed its decision in the case of the Consolidated Press Association against the Western Union Telegraph Company, to the effect that not press rates but the full commercial rates should be charged for telegrams which on their face involve an offer to sell news.

The press association's complaint to the commission assailed as unreasonable and unduly prejudicial the charges assessed on numerous messages tendered the defendant at Washington for transmission to newspapers in various States. The telegraph company charged commercial rates on these messages. Complainant contended they were "queries" and should have been charged at press rates.

"That the purpose of every query to a newspaper is to sell news is far from obvious," says the decision. "The record does not show that to be the fact. It does show that queries are sent for the purpose of enabling a newspaper to determine whether it has space available for and desires to publish particular dispatches the business arrangements concerning which have been entered into prior to the sending of the query.

"Nor does it appear that every query either expressly or by implication mentions the price at the proposed dispatch. The difference is substantial between a message which on its face is an offer to sell a news dispatch for a specified sum and a message treated by defendant as a query which on its face is not an offer to sell news and could only be so construed by the aid of extrinsic evidence."

The commission held that the message alleged by complainant to be entitled to the press rates was, on its face, primarily a commercial message for the purpose of negotiating a sale of particular dispatches and properly treated as such.

JURY ACQUITS SCHWARTZ.

Found Not Guilty of Charge Made by Immigrant's Relative.

Louis G. Schwartz, a stenographer in the office of Henry H. Curran, Commissioner of Immigration on Ellis Island, was acquitted on a grand larceny indictment yesterday by a jury in Judge Collins's part of General Sessions. Samuel Mashekr of 5,910 Perry Avenue, the Bronx, told the jury that Schwartz had obtained $155 from him on the promise that he would bring about the release of a relative of the complainant, detained at the Immigration station.

When the foreman of the jury announced the verdict, he added to the Court a resolution which expressed appreciation of the courtesy of the Court and added: "We believe that if such treatment was more general in our courts there would be less resistance to serve and fewer applications to be excused from jury service." Judge Collins thanked them for the sentiments.

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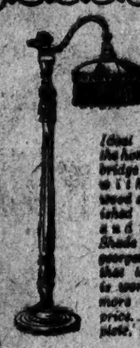

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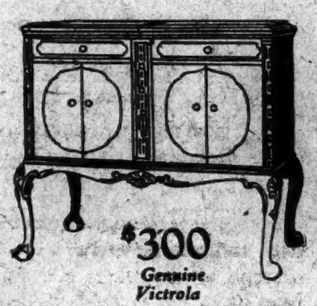

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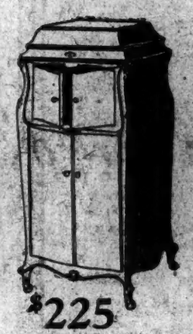

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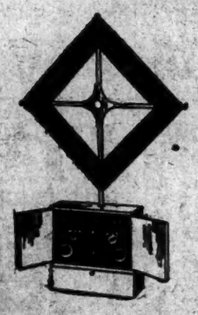

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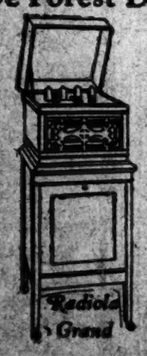

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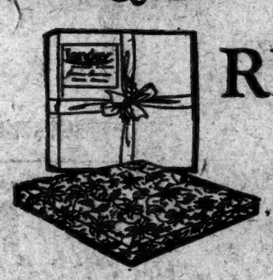

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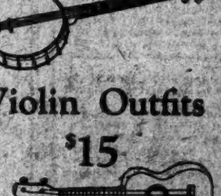

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JURY HEARS WIFE'S ACCOUNT OF KILLING

Mrs. Vetter's Alleged Confession Is Read in Trial Over Killing of Storey.

HUSBAND DISTRUSTED HER

So She Took Victim to Her Home to Disprove Suspicions, Document Relates.

The prosecution rested its case against Ernest and Marie Vetter, accused of murdering Alonzo J. Storey, in the Queens County Court at Long Island City, yesterday, with the reading to the jury of the alleged confession of Mrs. Vetter that she and her husband killed Storey in a life-and-death struggle in their home at Glendale.

The confession, whose introduction as evidence was vigorously opposed by Sidney Rosenthal, counsel for the defense, related that Mrs. Vetter had been intimate with Storey before her marriage and that her husband's knowledge of this caused him to mistrust her and to doubt the paternity of their baby girl. It was this which had led to the situation which produced the killing. In the midst of the attorney's arguments, preceding the reading of the so-called confession, Mrs. Vetter collapsed and had to be carried from the court.

Took Storey to Her Home.

Storey was induced to come to the Vetter home the night of his death so that Vetter could hear him talk with his wife and learn from that that he had no cause to mistrust her now, Mrs. Vetter's confession said. This was arranged and Mrs. Vetter met Storey around 2 A. M. at the street car.

"Then Storey and I went to my house," the document said, "and went into my front room. He sat down on the settee and pulled me down along side of him, and then I started to tell him of the wrong things he had done. 'Now, don't be so foolish, don't feel that way about things,' he said. Then he grabbed hold of me and attempted to kiss me, and I said 'Don't do that, Jack. Wait a minute. I'll go out in the kitchen and get you something to drink.' I went out in the kitchen and poured out a drink of whisky for him and got an iron bar that was in the closet.

"Then I went back to the parlor, but first put the iron bar in my waist so that he could not see it. He drank the whisky and then pulled me down beside him again. 'Now listen, Jack, I want to tell my husband everything.' He said, 'Don't be so foolish.'

"Then he grabbed hold of me and tried to force me to him. I then pulled out the iron bar and struck him toward the back of the head. He reled a little and then I called, 'Honey, help!' My husband came in and punched Storey and got him down on the floor. I then hit Storey about seven times, always on the head. Then I saw that he was getting the best of my husband and I went out to the kitchen and got a knife and gave it to my husband and took Storey's knife away from him.

"My husband was bending over Storey, so that I could not see what he did. Then we found that Storey was dead.

Made It Look Like Robbery.

"He left the body in the parlor the rest of that night, but next morning, my husband and I bundled it up in a burlap bag I had been saving in the cellar.

"On Friday night after midnight my husband and I carried the body downstairs to my husband's car and put the baby into the car, too. We went directly to Howard Beach to the dock there and I assisted my husband in taking the body out of the car, and then we together threw the body over into the water. Before we wrapped the burlap bags around the body my husband and I took from Storey's pocket his wallet, which contained a little over $200, his papers and other things, to make it appear as if he had been held up and robbed and then killed."

The husband's supposed statement also was introduced by District Attorney Dana Wallace. It coincided closely with that of the wife.

The defense moved the dismissal of the case after the State rested, which was denied, and then proceeded to attack the character of Storey, asserting that he was without conscience in his attitude toward women.

KIDNAP DRIVER, STEAL TRUCK

Armed Robbers Get Away With $20,000 Worth of Tobacco.

Two of five men stepped from a sedan on Bedford Avenue, between Hooper and Hewes Streets, Brooklyn, yesterday morning and, pointing pistols at John Orr, driver of a motor truck belonging to the American Tobacco Company and loaded with $20,000 worth of tobacco and cigarettes, forced him to leave the truck, with which they drove off.

The other three men compelled Orr to enter the automobile, in which they drove him to Borden and Vernon Avenues, Long Island City, where they put him out.

The tobacco and cigarettes were contained in Christmas packages and were consigned to New England. Orr was taking the shipment to the Delaware, Lackawanna & Wetsern terminal at Clymer Street and Kent Avenue, Brooklyn. The hold-up and robbery of the truck were under circumstances similar to those attending the hold-up of two other trucks of the same company during the last year.

GEORGE M. BOARDMAN WILL.

Widow and Sister Inherit Bulk of Importer's Estate.

RIVERHEAD, L. I., Dec. 18. — The will of George M. Boardman, importer, of 11 Broadway, New York, who died Nov. 26 in his home at 470 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn, was filed for probate today.

The estate consists of realty of unknown value and personal property worth "over $100,000." Mrs. Catherine Boardman, the testator's widow, and Mrs. Frances Wyman of Montclair, N. J., his sister, are the principal legatees.

Three hundred thousand dollars is left in trust for Mrs. Boardman. At her death the trust fund is to be divided, as follows:

Prospect Heights Hospital, Brooklyn, $100,000; Brooklyn S. P. C. C., $50,000; Brooklyn Orphan Asylum, $25,000; Brooklyn Home for Children, $10,000; Brooklyn Training School for Girls, $1,000, and the Legal Aid Society of New York, $10,000. The remainder shall be equally divided between the Brooklyn Central Branch of the Y. M. C. A. and Brooklyn Y. W. C. A.

A trust fund of $50,000 is left for Mrs. Wyman, who also receives $5,000 outright and $2,000 annually from the trust fund principal.

FAILS TO GET INTO PRISON.

Confessed Swindler Asks Thrice in Vain to Be Committed.

Joseph Sakelos, who says that he committed the crime for which George Pariotis was sentenced to a three-year term in the Atlanta Penitentiary on Feb. 1, 1921, failed yesterday to find any official who would commit him to prison.

Bernard H. Sandler, his counsel, also tried in vain to have Sakelos held by the Magistrate sitting in the Tombs Court. District Attorney Banton and John E. Joyce of the United States Attorney's office and Detective Gray called up Police Headquarters and received consent to lock him up there.

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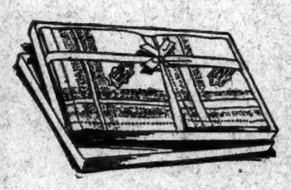

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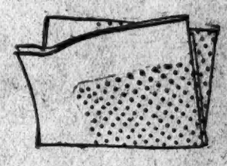

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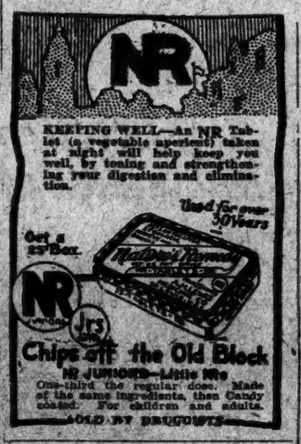

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NEW LAWS ARE SUGGESTED

One Calls for Display of Photographs on Certificates,—Banton After Fake Physicians.

The Executive Committee of the Kings County Dental Society at a meeting last night adopted a recommendation that the organization call on its 700 members to make a canvass of the borough for quack dentists and to urge the Allied Dental Council of Greater New York, with a membership of 2,500, to join District Attorneys Banton and Dodd in a move to drive quacks out of business.

The meeting was held in the rooms of the Brooklyn Federation of Charities, Washington and Johnson Streets. H. Ausibel was Chairman. Speakers praised the work of the two prosecutors in endeavoring to eliminate the fraudulent practice of dentistry and medicine.

Earlier in the day District Attorney Banton announced that seven persons had been subpoenaed in an investigation of two physicians, and several of the speakers at last night's meeting of the Brooklyn dentists offered to obtain evidence on which District Attorney Dodd could proceed with an investigation in that borough.

More Stringent Laws Asked.

The movement to canvass Brooklyn for dental quacks originated in recommendations offered by Dr. I. Stolper of 376 Court Street, which were unanimously adopted by the Executive Committee. These recommendations were ordered sent to the State authorities. They included a proposal that a law be enacted at the next session of the Legislature compelling all dentists to place their photographs on their certificates of dentistry and expose them in their offices, so that patients could view them and assure themselves that they are being treated by graduate dentists.

The committee also calls on the Legislature to make the punishment for violations of the dental laws more drastic, and asked that the appropriation for the State Dental Board be increased so that more inspectors could be employed to effectively cope with quacks.

Other witnesses, not yet summoned, will be called to answer questions concerning eight men, who are not registered as physicians at the County Clerk's office, to determine whether they have been engaged in the practice of medicine.

Complaints Against 10 Doctors.

In reply to an inquiry to the County Clerk, Mr. Ford received information that out of sixteen names he submitted, eight were regularly licensed physicians and eight were not registered. Complaints, most of them anonymous, had been received against all sixteen. One of the complainants reported that he had been told that he had intestinal ulcers which would turn into cancer unless immediately cured, and had paid $100 for treatment, including X-ray photographs. The complainant said he discovered that he was suffering from a slight ailment, which disappeared with one dose of medicine prescribed by his family physician.

District Attorney Joab H. Banton issued a statement asking persons who had made anonymous complaints to get in touch with him, promising to keep their names secret. "I wish that these persons would come to see me about the matters they have mentioned in their letters and give me fuller information," Mr. Banton said. "They need not worry about their names becoming public. I will not make them public. The end to be attained is the prosecution and elimination of unauthorized physicians. We want to put the quacks out of business, and thus far there hasn't been anything to indicate that there are many in New York County."

FIREPROOF SANTAS URGED.

Chief Kenlon Warns of Extra Hazards During Holiday Festivities.

Recognizing the special fire hazards that are ushered in with the preparations for the festivities of the Christmas season, Fire Chief John Kenlon last night gave out the following warning:

"A little care with fire at Christmas time will not detract a particle from the enjoyment of the season. Take Christmas trees, for instance. They need not be decked with lighted candles to make them pretty. Colored electric lights are more ornamental and when properly connected and arranged are far safer. If a bright light is focused on the tree in a darkened room the effect is just as pleasing and there is virtually no danger. Candles are always hazardous. Placing them in windows where there may be inflammable curtains and decorations is extremely dangerous.

"Here are a few precautions I urge the public to observe at home, in the stores and elsewhere:

"Make sure that Christmas trees are securely set up, so that they will not topple over, and keep them away from heating and lighting fixtures. Use metal tinsel, flake asbestos and powdered mica for snow effects, instead of paper clippings and cotton. Extreme care with matches and smoking materials should be exercised. Evergreens should be removed immediately after Christmas before they are dried out completely.

"Avoid toys requiring alcohol, gasoline or kerosene for their operation, and also avoid cheap motion picture machines and inflammable film.

"If Santa Claus is to be present at the Christmas tree party, tell him to avoid the use of long cotton whiskers. His costume can be fireproofed to some extent by dipping it into a solution of alum.

"If anyone's clothing catches fire, he or she should be promptly rolled in a rug or blanket.

"Merchants should clear their premises of rubbish and paper accumulations and insist on employes keeping the exits clear."

CALLS FOR GERMAN RELIEF.

Irving T. Bush Says Thousands of Children Will Starve.

"Remedial measures such as credits extended to the German Government, which must await the approval of the Reparation Commission, involving delay of months, are not enough to meet the famine conditions in Germany," said Irving T. Bush, President of the Chamber of Commerce, at a luncheon yesterday given to prominent citizens in the President's room.

Mr. Bush said that before governmental relief can be granted "thousands of children will have perished." He called upon the men and women present to assist the American Committee for the Relief of German Children in its campaign to raise $10,000,000 for the purchase of food supplies to be distributed in Germany by the Quakers. Mr. Bush is President of the New York City committee.

"We cannot shut our hearts to these hungry children," said Mr. Bush. "I cannot believe that great-hearted America will allow prejudice or ill-will or any consideration whatsoever to stand between her and the feeding of children."

Cohalan Referred to Kingsbury.

In THE TIMES's account of the Webb will contest, yesterday, it was erroneously stated that ex-Surrogate John P. Cohalan, counsel for some of the contestants, had asserted that Irving E. Burdick had "baptized a sheet of paper" as the will of Mrs. Gertie Gorman Webb. Mr. Cohalan referred to Colonel Howard T. Kingsbury, who drew up the document. Mr. Burdick represents S. Jennings Gorman Sr. and Jr. Jennings Gorman Jr., Mrs. Webb's father and stepfather, who are contesting the will.

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Cashmere Bouquet . 50c
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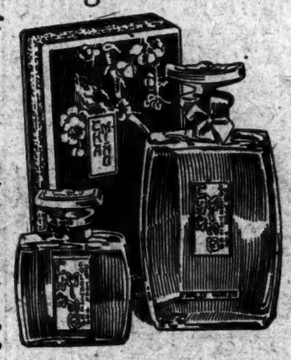

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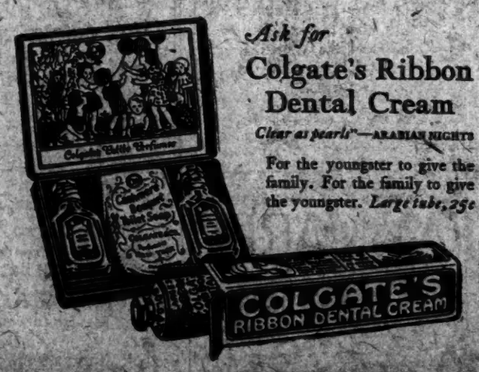
Perfume for youngsters. Miniature vials of gathered fragrance. Variety a-plenty. Four little bottles, or in sets of two with a small cake of Cashmere Bouquet Soap, as illustrated. *40c*



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Clear as pearls"—ARABIAN NIGHTS

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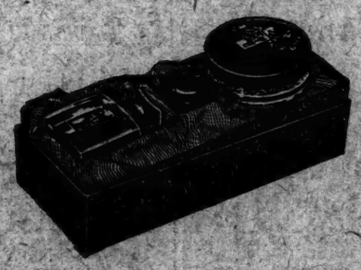

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"And a thousand fragrant posies"—MARLOWE

Florient—reminiscent of golden sunshine and silver seas. Or a thousand flowers blown by the breeze. A rare fragrance. With just a hint of Oriental richness in its sweetness. Flowers of the Orient. Florient. Well named. *Extract $1.00 to $10.00 Toilet Water $1.50*

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Facial comfort for the man who gets up smiling. A gift that will find immediate use. Shaving Cream or the "Handy Grip". Lilac Imperial Toilet Water with its soothing fragrance. Coleo soap that lathers plentifully. A distinctly masculine affair that will bring a chuckle of satisfaction. *$1.50*

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Bottles of lovely fragrance. Dactylis, Rose, Violet or Cashmere Bouquet. Lily of the Valley extract, if you want a heavier scent. *50c to $1.50*

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Outside appealing to one's taste for luxury. Within is powder of feathery texture, delicately scented with Florient. Encased in ebony blackness touched with color of gold. For one's dressing table. For the corner of one's suit case. *$1.00*

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Philadelphia Orchestra.

By H. C. COLLES.

The fourth of this orchestra's concerts under Mr. Stokowski's leadership at Carnegie Hall last night was an evening of Mozart and Brahms, with a Wagnerian coda for those who could wait for it. We might all have enjoyed the Prelude and Liebestod from "Tristan," if the concert had begun at the advertised hour (8:15), but Mr. Stokowski waited a quarter of an hour for his audience, and apparently some of his audience counted on his waiting, so that when he did appear they were still not all in their places. Consequently, some punctual people had to forego their Wagner.

A conductor seems wanted to discipline New York audiences as Henry Wood has disciplined those of London. At Queens Hall it is known that to arrive late is to miss the overture, also that if a conductor holds up his hands between the movements of a symphony there is to be no applause and there is none. Mr. Stokowski kept his hands up between the movements of Mozart's G-minor symphony last night, but it was not until the end of the minuet that the audience began to realise what he meant by the action. These details make so much difference to the comfort of listening to music that it is well worth while to come to an understanding about them.

What we were given, however, was an exquisitely finished presentation of the overture to "Figaro," the G-minor symphony and, after the intermission, Brahms's violin concerto, the solo played by Carl Flesch. When every detail is perfectly articulated and the whole of a masterly score is revealed with transparent clearness words are not needed. A story which Lawrence Gilman aptly quoted in his program notes from the "Reminiscences" of Michael Kelly best meets the case. At the first performance of "Figaro" in Vienna, Kelly tells how Mozart kept murmuring "Bravo, Bauucci" (Benucci was the singer of the title role), and how at the end of "Non piu andrai" the performers, orchestra and audience vociferated "Bravo, Mozart." The ideal performance brings one face to face with the music itself, and the praise is all for the mind which conceived such perfection in the work itself. When we have to fall back on praise of the executants, their success is less complete than when they leave us saying "Bravo, Mozart."

This symphony of Mozart and this concerto of Brahms have something in common. Brahms in his lifetime and since has been too often linked with Beethoven and the accident of the initial letter of his name made von Bülow canonise him as the third B. But Brahms's unique position in Nineteenth Century music is really due to the fact that he alone inherited something of Mozart's genius for speaking impersonally in his music. The movements of this concerto have something of the Mozartian balance and poise; they are not subject to gusts of sudden feeling nor dependent on intensely arresting moments. It was because Mr. Flesch, admirable violinist as he is, seemed so thoroughly to realize the solo part as belonging to a greater whole, and the ensemble was so splendidly welded that this was an outstanding performance. The cadenza in the first movement in which the themes, after their full expansion by Brahms, were juggled with uncertainty seemed, as cadenzas almost always are, an unnecessary intrusion. It was the only point at which the balance was destroyed.

There were details open to criticism. If the orchestra will play the opening passage with that wonderful sonority of tone the soloist's first entry is apt to sound a little tame, and again a comparison not favorable to the soloist was possible in the rhythm of the principal theme of the finale. But the slow movement was exquisitely outlined, and Mr. Flesch was at his best in his repeseful treatment of the second episode, rounding the beautiful tune which the oboe had first propounded. He and Mr. Stokowski together justified the appellation of the work as a symphony with violin solo and left the impression that after all that is the right relationship.

CHRISTMAS AT THE OPERA.

"Ernani" Among Ten Performances In Metropolitan's Big List.

Christmas week at the opera will crowd the Metropolitan calendar with ten performances, including the first this season of classic "Ernani," on Friday, Dec. 28, with Ponselle, Martinelli, Ruffo and Mardones, the same cast singing Verdi's opera next Tuesday also at the Brooklyn Academy. Sunday's Metropolitan concert will present seven tenors, two sopranos, two contraltos, four baritones, six basses, chorus, orchestra and stage band, in the music of scenes from "Aida," "Faust," "Romeo et Juliette," "Boris Godunoff" and "Die Meistersinger."

Operas of the eighth week further include "Tannhäuser" next Monday with Veritza, Matzenauer, Laubenthal and Whitehill; a Christmas matinee of "Carmen," Easton, Fleta, De Luca; Wednesday night, "Thais," Jeritza and Danise; extra, Thursday matinee, "Faust," Chaliapin, Mario and Chamlee; Thursday evening, "Marta," Alda, Howard, Gigli, De Luca; Saturday matinee, "Walkuere," Rethberg, Matzenauer, Onegin, Whitehill, Laubenthal and Bender, and Saturday night, Dec. 29, "La Bohème," Bori, d'Arle, Gigli, Scotti, Rothier and Didur.

STARS HOLD YULE REVEL.

Beethoven Association Gives a Benefit for Club Fund.

Patrons of the Beethoven Association rallied to an extra-subscription concert for its clubhouse and maintenance fund last evening, when Aeolian Hall's stage showed a mustering of orchestra leaders, prima donnas, premier chamber quartet and others, in the manners of an old-time Yule revel of a king's musicians.

Of Beethoven's day the nearest echo was from his earlier predecessors, a minuet of Buononcini, arranged by Mariello, and vocal duets of Purcell, Marcello and Mozart, sung by Florence Hinkle and Herbert Witherspoon. Schumann's matchless quintet by the Flonzaleys and Gabrilowitsch was later followed by Barrere and Bauer in flute and piano variations of Schubert.

A dozen descriptive instruments formed the "zoo" in Saint Saen's amusing "Carnival of Animals," for which the added stars were Messrs. van Amburgh, Mancly, Carl Deis, Frank Damrosch, Walter Damrosch and Bodansky.

George M. Cohan to Play Here.

George M. Cohan, it was announced yesterday, will begin a limited New York engagement at the Hudson Theatre on New Year's Eve in his new comedy, "The Song and Dance Man." Another actor was originally cast for the leading rôle of this production and Mr. Cohan entered the cast only after its preliminary road tour had begun.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

"Be Wise, Young Man" will close at the Punch and Judy Theatre Saturday night, to be succeeded on Monday night by "Time," recently at the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre.

"The Vagabond," a melodramatic romance by Wilson Collison, will open at the Apollo Theatre next Thursday afternoon for a series of special matinees.

"White Cargo," now at the Greenwich Village Theatre, will move to Daly's Sixty-third Street Theatre, Sixty-third Street, on Monday night.

The purchase of "Some 'Fool' Woman," a new play by John A. Kirkpatrick, is announced by John Cromwell, her production next season.

"Mister Pitt," by Zona Gale, will open at Stamford on Christmas night.

The Dunstelle Prize Play Contest for students of colleges and universities in New York City will close Feb. 15, 1924, instead of Jan. 1, as previously announced.

"Poppy," now at the Adelphi Theatre in London with Lupe Velez, by W. C. Gaisd, according to an announcement from Philip Goodman yesterday. The leading female role will be played by an American actress, with the rest of the company English.

Roland Young will play the leading role in "Dear Me," when that comedy resumes at the Punch and Judy next Monday night.

COLLEGE BOYS PLAY 'COTTON STOCKINGS'

University of Michigan 'Girls' Sparkle at Metropolitan in Musical Comedy.

Undergraduates of the University of Michigan stepped into the limelight last night in a musical comedy in two acts called "Cotton Stockings" and caused an audience that filled the Metropolitan Opera House to place their stamp of approval on one of the brightest and most sparkling college shows of the season.

Pictures of the Michigan University's male "girls" have been printed from coast to coast, but never before were they seen on Broadway. The Mimes advertised their show by posting the fact that "our handsomest girls are men." Lionel E. Ames, class of '24, was one of those who lived up to the advertisement. Barre Hill, class of '26, was a Rudolph Valentino set to music.

There was no plot to speak of, but suffice it to say that Susan, the janitor's daughter, tried to climb dazzled Bohemia with her beauty and gowns, and then had to go back to her janitor father—that is, almost, for Jerry Hastings, who wanted to write, played by Vernon Myers, '24, saved her from her ignoble fate by offering his heart and hand just after a dance number called "Clownland," had been encored repeatedly. This dance was one of the artistic creations of the show. The entire production had a certain professional finesse, although retaining the proper college atmosphere, which was marked last night by college yells between acts.

The staging was good. The artists' frolic in the second act was silhouetted against a plum-colored velvet hanging, with a wonderful staircase, that was most effective. The costumes were original and dazzling. The fashion revue in the second act made the house gasp.

The humor kept the assembly in a pleasant mood, James Dresbach as Claribel Joyous, a high priestess, and Crosby Rees as Mr. Hastings, a Corn Flakes king, supplying many of the laughs. The music was tuneful and sprightly, the responsibility for the music, lyrics and the book, resting upon the shoulders of Charles H. Sword and William C. Krats. The chorus was one of constant animation and many legs, but there were no cotton stockings worn in the chorus, for, as the posters read, "Cotton stockings never made a man look twice."

Others in the cast who distinguished themselves were William E. Parnall, Charles D. Livingston, George Hoffman, Howard Welch, John R. Grylls, Lauren Stokesberry, John B. Hassberger, who made much of the character of Nedda Calvert, an adventuress, and Gordon C. Rice, who led the parrot walk in the interlude, a pleasing and colorful cakewalk, as Arizona, Claribel's maid.

The production was staged by H. Mortimer Shuter, who devotes his time to dramatics at the theatre of the Mimes of the University of Michigan Union.

WALSKA MAY COME HERE.

Reported in Detroit That She Has Bought Wagnerian Opera Company.

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 18.—Advices from reliable musical sources reaching Detroit today are that Mme. Ganna Walska has bought out the entire Wagnerian Opera Company, disposed of the old debts, reorganized the management, dismissed many of the former principals, and will herself be one of the stars in a five weeks' engagement on Broadway starting in about two weeks.

The sum of $75,000 is said to have been paid by the wife of Harold McCormick for the privilege of having her own company. After the New York engagement the report is that she intends to take her company to England for a London engagement, and in view of the fact that her husband bought her a Paris opera house last Summer a personally conducted invasion of the French capital probably will follow.

Mme. Walska since her secret rehearsal with the orchestra in Detroit is said to have made several appearances under assumed names in the rôle of the Countess in Mozart's "Marriage of Figaro," and to be now ready to face the New York critics and public.

It is understood that Conductor Moericke has been retained and also Theodore Lattermann, the artistic director, but that the entire business staff will be displaced.

HERE FROM INDIA.

Major Foran and H. A. Chase Bring First Pictures of Afghanistan.

Among the passengers arriving yesterday from Glasgow and Moville on the Anchor liner Columbia were Major R. W. Foran and H. A. Chase with moving and still pictures of romantic India, the ascent of Mount Everest and the first pictures taken in Afghanistan. They will be shown first in Toronto and Montreal and then brought to New York.

The moving picture of the famous Kyber Pass leading from Northwest India to Afghanistan was taken by Americans because British subjects were not allowed to pass beyond the frontier. Mr. Chase, who went right through to Cabul with the expedition, said that the Amir Abdullah was very enlightened and was installing electric lights and street railways in his capital.

Astri Ellison in Recital.

Astri Ellison, soprano, gave her second recital this season at the Town Hall last evening with a program devoted to Scandinavian songs. Christian Schiott, who composed four of the numbers, assisted at the piano. The audience was made up mostly of Norwegians, who expressed much enjoyment, especially of Mr. Schiott's songs and those by Grieg.

Swedish Ballet to Return.

Rolf de Mare, director of the Swedish Ballet, announced yesterday that the organization will return to New York on Christmas night for an extended engagement at the Century Roof. An entirely new program, devoid of the modern features which characterized the recent engagement, is promised. The opening programs will include "The Bird Merchant," "Midsummer's Night Revel" and "Within the Quota."

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Fri., 8:15, Tosca, Jeritza, Mario, Defrere; Martinelli, Scotti, Picco, Montesanto.
Sat., 8:45, Double Bill, Abies Pritz, Bori, Alda; Pinza, Danise; followed by Cavalleria Rusticana, Perini, Parisi, Chamlee, Picco, Montesanto.
Sun., 8 (Pop. Prices), Rosenkavalier, Rethberg, Easton, Mario, Harrold, Bender, Schutzendorf, Bodansky.
Mon. Mat., 2:15, Tannhauser, Jeritza, Matzenauer; Laubenthal, Whitehill, Bender, Bodansky.
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TIE UP BOY MEDIUM; FIND TRANCE IS REAL

Nino Pecoraro Gets Third Test, but Expected Phenomena Fail to Materialize.

ANOTHER SEANCE PLANNED

Lad Declared to Be Most Promising Candidate for $2,500 Prize —Houdini a Witness.

For the third time Nino Pecoraro, an Italian boy medium, sat for the Scientific American Investigating Committee last night, in its law library in the Woolworth Building. This time the greatest care was taken to be sure the medium would be unable to move himself or the chair in which he sat in the cabinet.

Houdini came all the way from Little Rock, Ark., to attend and at the end of the seance the boy was found exactly as he had been left. Little of the phenomena which were produced at the last sitting last week occurred on this occasion, and with the exception of miscellaneous noises from the cabinet, the seance was confined to messages purporting to come from the medium's "spirit control."

However, the investigating committee still feels that the lad is the most promising candidate for The Scientific American's prize of $2,500 for a medium able to produce genuine psychic phenomena. They are still of the opinion that if the phenomena he produces are fraudulent, they are due to subconscious fraud practiced in the hypnotic state. Dr. Anselmo Vecchio of the Hotel Theresa, manager and interpreter for Nino, who speaks no English, attributed the comparative failure of last night's seance to the discomfort of the medium. The investigating committee hopes to meet this claim in another seance to be held soon.

Say Trance Was Genuine.

At the end of the seance J. Malcolm Bird, Chairman of the committee, announced that the committee and its medical advisers were satisfied that the medium's trance was genuine and that he had not practiced conscious fraud. One of these advisers was Dr. Siegfried Block, a neurologist and something of a hypnotist himself. He made a thorough examination of the boy after the sitting and declared there was no question about the trance.

"Tonight, for the first time," said Mr. Bird, "we made a definite effort to tie up the medium so that he could not get loose, and we seem to have been successful. Dr. Vecchio attributes the failure to produce phenomena of consequence to the medium's discomfort, the delay in getting him tied and other unfavorable conditions. The committee doesn't feel in a position to comment on that at this time. Houdini feels that the medium was not tied in such a way as to produce any discomfort at all, aside from the fact that he could not move. We hope to prove at the next seance that the failure had nothing to do with the tying."

It took almost an hour and three-quarters to prepare the medium for his test, which was probably the most severe he ever underwent. His hands were sewn into gloves attached fast to his underclothing. His hands were then placed, Chinese fashion, into the sleeves of his coat and sewn there. The sleeves were sewn to the coat itself and the coat to the trousers, both in front and behind.

Then Houdini put the boy in a chair and tied him with sheet pieces of rope which won even the admiration of the "spirit," which referred to his success time and again during the sitting. The chair was put into the cabinet, which was formed by black curtains hung in one corner of the room, and screwed to the baseboard of the room with metal bands, which were sealed.

Hear Bells and Voices.

It was only a few minutes after the lights were put out that the manifestations began, with creaks from inside the cabinet. There were sounds of an extra chair in the cabinet being tilted back and forth throughout the seance, and at times a tambourine and bells on the chair could be heard.

Most of the phenomena were attributed to Eusapia Palladino, a world-famous medium until she died several years ago. On one or two occasions Dr. Vecchio declared the voice to be that of Mannie, Nino's dead brother. At the outset "Palladino" complained of the way they had tied Nino, but she promised phenomena in spite of it. Little, however, became manifest.

Young Violinist Here for Debut.

Samuel Dushkin, violinist, arrived yesterday from Paris on the Cunarder Berengaria to make his American début as soloist with the New York Symphony Orchestra under Walter Damrosch in Aeolian Hall on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 6. Dushkin is a protegé of Blair Fairchild, the American composer, who makes his home in Paris. Mr. Fairchild arrived on the Berengaria with the young violinist. Just before leaving Paris Dushkin played as soloist with the Colonne Orchestra.

THINKS ACTRESS JEALOUS.

Ziegfeld Says Pique Caused Miss Miller to Quit "Sally."

Professional jealousy, according to a statement given out yesterday at the Ziegfeld office, brought about the withdrawal of Marilynn Miller, star of "Sally," from the Ziegfeld management. Miss Miller, according to her late producer, grew jealous of Mary Eaton, who is appearing in the new Ziegfeld production, "Kid Boots."

The producer is still in Washington, and it was said at his office that his statement was issued by his "representative," apparently after conferring with Mr. Ziegfeld.

SIKI DOLES OUT DOLLARS.

His "Singular" Antics Lead to Arrest in Weehawken.

"Battling" Siki, the Senegalese boxer, was arrested in the West Shore Ferry terminal in Weehawken last night after a series of singular antics during which he displayed 600 $1 notes. His attempts to present each man with a dollar or two "to buy a drink" led to his arrest on a charge of disorderly conduct. He was released under $100 cash bond for a hearing Dec. 26.

J. B. Worthington Weds Grace Canfield.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

HAVANA, Dec. 18.—John B. Worthington of New York and Philadelphia announced here tonight that he had married Grace Canfield, daughter of the late Richard Canfield, after an elopement to Montreal on Dec. 3.

Today's Radio Program

DEC. 19, 1923.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
Numerals after names of stations show wave length in meters.

WEAF, NEW YORK—492.
9:00 A. M.—Program to be announced.
11:00 A. M.—"What the League Found On Its Doorstep," by Helen Miller.
11:15 A. M.—Musical program.
11:30 A. M.—"How to Safeguard the Health of the Child," by Dr. I. H. Goldberger.
11:50 A. M.—Market reports.
12:00 Noon—Columbia University Chapel; address by Chaplain Raymond Knox.
12:30 P. M.—Market reports.
4:00 P. M.—Jesse Robertson, bass.
4:15 P. M.—Carl Haydn, tenor; Doris Albee, piano.
5:00 P. M.—Christmas program for children.
7:00 P. M.—Religious service by the United Synagogues of America; address by Rabbi Charles I. Hoffman, "Message of Judaism to the World"; music by choir.
7:30 P. M.—Sport talk.
7:40 P. M.—Charles Weld, musical glasses.
7:50 P. M.—"Co-operation Is More Than Marketing," by Louis A. Cooley.
8:00 P. M.—Helen Rush, soprano.
8:20 P. M.—Battery instruction by George Furness.
8:30 P. M.—Charles Weld, musical glasses.
8:40 P. M.—"Financial Problems," by Dudley F. Fowler.
8:50 P. M.—Helen Rush, soprano.
9:00 P. M.—"Choosing a Vocation," by C. M. Smith.
9:15 P. M.—Almon Knowles, baritone.
9:30 P. M.—Phil Ohman, piano; Nola Arndt, soprano.
10:00 P. M.—Almon Knowles, baritone.

WJZ, NEW YORK—455.
7:00 P. M.—Friends Levin, soprano.
7:15 P. M.—First Symphony 'Cello Quartet.
8:25 P. M.—"The Birth of the Mechanical Toy Industry in America," by Ferdinand Strauss.
2:30 P. M.—First Symphony 'Cello Quartet.
4:30 P. M.—Hotel Commodore Orchestra.
5:30 P. M.—Market reports; closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange; foreign exchange quotations; steel and iron report; news.
7:00 P. M.—Christmas Stories by Florence Vincent.
7:30 P. M.—Piano recital.
7:45 P. M.—"The Progress of the World," talk.
8:00 P. M.—Frank Jaced, tenor.
8:15 P. M.—Frederick Chesewright, piano.
8:30 P. M.—Address by Joseph Faurot.
9:00 P. M.—"First Aid for Christmas Shoppers," by Anne Pierce.
9:15 P. M.—United States Navy Night; address by Rear Admiral E. H. Sitti; music by Brooklyn Navy Yard Band.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather forecast.
10:00 P. M.—United States Navy program.

WHN, NEW YORK—360.
2:15-2:30 P. M.—Popular songs.
3:30-3:15 P. M.—Popular songs.
3:30-3:15 P. M.—Creole Syncopaters.
3:45-4:45 P. M.—Carolina Serenaders.
4:45-5:30 P. M.—Popular songs.
7:30-8:00 P. M.—Clover Gardens Orchestra.
8:00-8:45 P. M.—Songs. Versatile Instrumental Trio.
8:45-10:30 P. M.—Popular songs.
10:30-11:00 P. M.—Nashville Syncopaters.
11:00-12:00 P. M.—Popular music.

WRW, TARRYTOWN—273.
7:30-8:15 P. M.—Music; abrograms; news; bedtime story.
8:15-10:30 P. M.—Music; address; Westchester County police reports; music.

WOR, NEWARK—405.
2:30-3:00 P. M.—Song recue.
5:00-5:30 P. M.—"What I Found at the Bottom of the Sea," by Martha Goodman.
5:30-6:00 P. M.—Claude Velsor, tenor.
6:15 P. M.—"Icicle," by Santa Claus.
6:20 P. M.—"Radio for the Layman," by A. L. Sonn.
6:35-7:00 P. M.—Tiphany Quartet.
8:00 P. M.—Royal Male Quartet.
8:15 P. M.—"Reminiscences of Sarah Bernhardt," by Lou Tellegen.
8:40 P. M.—Royal Male Quartet.
8:55 P. M.—Dancing lesson by Arthur Murray; Vernon Orchestra.
9:25 P. M.—Vocal recital.
10:10 P. M.—Manhattan Serenaders.

WJAR, PROVIDENCE—360.
10:00 A. M.—Housewives' program; music.
2:05-3:10 P. M.—Orchestra; weather report.
7:00 P. M.—Weather report; Biltmore Orchestra.
10:30 P. M.—Dance orchestra.

WEAN, PROVIDENCE—273.
12:00-1:00 P. M.—Weather forecast; Colonial Orchestra.
4:00-5:00 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra.
6:00-7:00 P. M.—Orchestra concert; bedtime story; weather forecast; police reports.

WSAD, PROVIDENCE—361.
2:30-4:00 P. M.—Musical program.
6:15 P. M.—Concert program.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—337.
11:58 A. M.—Time signals; weather reports; Boston and Springfield market reports.
6:00 P. M.—WBZ Quintet.
7:00 P. M.—Rumor.
7:30 P. M.—Bedtime story: "Relation of Middleman to Producer and Consumer," by Samuel C. Hood; story for grown-ups.
8:00 P. M.—Williams College Musical Clubs.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals.
11:00 P. M.—Leo Fenway, tenor; WBZ Quintet.

WGI, MEDFORD, MASS.—360.
12:00 M.—Phonograph.
12:30 P. M.—Weather forecasts.
12:45 P. M.—Farmers' produce market report.
5:30 P. M.—Closing stock market reports; live stock market reports; world market survey.
6:10 P. M.—Code practice.
6:25 P. M.—Boston police reports.
6:40 P. M.—Late news; sports.
6:50 P. M.—Message to Camp Fire Girls.
7:00 P. M.—Rumor.
7:20 P. M.—"Science Up to Date," talk.
7:30 P. M.—Essay; music.
8:45 P. M.—"Ho," by C. C. Rose.

WNAC, BOSTON—formerly 278.
9:10 A. M.—Christmas carols.
9:25 A. M.—Gift suggestions.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals; weather reports.
12:02 P. M.—Stock market quotations.
12:15 P. M.—King's Chapel services.
1:00-2:00 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra; organ and piano.
4:00-5:00 P. M.—Orchestra; phonograph; organ; songs.
6:00 P. M.—Stock quotations.
6:00 P. M.—Children's stories and music.
8:10 P. M.—Orchestra concert.

WDO, PHILADELPHIA—509.
11:00 A. M.—Organ recital.
11:30 A. M.—Weather forecast.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Tea Room Orchestra.
5:15 P. M.—Grand organ; trumpets; Christmas carols.
5:30 P. M.—Sports; police reports.
7:30 P. M.—Orchestra.
8:10-10:30 P. M.—Humor; orchestra.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals.
10:00 P. M.—Weather forecast.
10:10 P. M.—Organ recital.

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—508.
1:00 P. M.—Weather report.
1:02 P. M.—Vocal solos.
6:00 P. M.—Weather forecast; dance music.
7:00 P. M.—Uncle Wip's bedtime stories; roll call.

WRAX, PHILADELPHIA—394.
12:00-1:00 P. M.—Organ recital; Arcadia Orchestra.
2:00-3:00 P. M.—Orchestra; vocal solos; talk.
4:00-5:00 P. M.—Music; talk.
7:00 P. M.—Dream Daddy.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—Garrett's Orchestra; talk; "Billiards as Sport"; readings.
10:30 P. M.—Dance orchestra.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395.
9:30 A. M.—Christmas cantata.
10:15 A. M.—Market reports.
1:00 P. M.—Meyer Davis Orchestra.
1:50 P. M.—Agricultural report.
3:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos; "Scientific Poultry Feeding," by R. Ansell Jr.
6:30 P. M.—Meyer Davis Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Talk by Santa Claus.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.
11:58 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 P. M.—Stock market report.
12:40 P. M.—Produce market report.
12:45 P. M.—Weather report.
6:00 P. M.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins.
6:30 P. M.—Adventure story.

WMAK, LOCKPORT—286.
12:00 M.—Weather forecast.

WGR, BUFFALO—319.
10:45 A. M.—Weather report.
12:00 M.—Weather and market reports.
12:30 P. M.—Organ recital.
2:30 P. M.—Chicago Board of Trade closing prices.
3:30 P. M.—Closing prices New York Stock Exchange.
4:00 P. M.—Tea-time music.
5:30 P. M.—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.
7:30 P. M.—News; all daily reports.
8:45 P. M.—Christmas carols.
9:00 P. M.—Hawaiian Quartet; vocal quartet.
10:45 P. M.—Weather forecast.
11:00 P. M.—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH—326.
9:45 A. M.—Union Live Stock Market report.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Market reports; weather forecast; music.
6:20 P. M.—Orchestra concert.
7:20 P. M.—Literary program.
7:45 P. M.—Children's period.
8:00 P. M.—Market reports.
8:15 P. M.—Address, "The Advantage of Physical Examination in Industry."
8:50 P. M.—Steel City Quartet; Little Symphony Orchestra.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather forecast.

WCAE, PITTSBURGH—462.
6:30 P. M.—Dance music.
11:00 P. M.—Concert program.

WCAX, BURLINGTON, VT.—300.
6:15-6:30 P. M.—Band concert.
9:45-11:00 P. M.—Dance music.

WHAM, ROCHESTER—286.
3:00-3:30 P. M.—Orchestra concert.
3:15-4:45 P. M.—Organ and orchestra.
5:30 P. M.—Market reports; weather forecast.
7:30-8:30 P. M.—Piano solos; bedtime story; Knight's Orchestra.

WLAG, MINNEAPOLIS—417.
8:30 P. M. — Talks; American Legion Glee Club.
10:15 P. M.—Weather report.
10:30 P. M.—Musical program.

WJAX, CLEVELAND—390.
8:38 P. M.—Crude rubber quotations.

NAA, ARLINGTON, VA.—435.
10:05-10:20 A. M.—Weather reports.
3:48-4:00 P. M.—Weather reports.
10:05-10:20 P. M.—Weather reports.

WRC, WASHINGTON—469.
5:15 P. M.—Code practice.
6:00 P. M.—Children's hour.
8:00 P. M.—"Why the Farm Bloc?" by Senator Arthur Capper.
8:15 P. M.—John Ryerson, bass.
8:25 P. M.—Talk, "Automobile Touring."
8:50 P. M.—Piano recital.
8:45 P. M.—Georgada McHarrue, contralto.
9:00 P. M.—"Polar Exploration by Aircraft," by Rear Admiral William A. Moffett.
9:15 P. M.—United States Navy Band concert.

WCX, DETROIT—517.
6:00 P. M.—Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Musical program.

WWJ, DETROIT—516.
8:30 P. M.—Orchestra; vocal recital.

WLW, CINCINNATI—309.
5:00 P. M.—Greve's Orchestra.
9:00 P. M.—Zither Quartet.
10:15 P. M.—Dance Orchestra.

KYW, CHICAGO—536.
7:50 P. M.—Bedtime story.
9:00-9:58 P. M.—Salvation Army Band; vocal and instrumental solos.
10:00 P. M.—News; weather reports.
10:05 P. M.—Sport talk.
10:15 P. M.—Book review; news every half hour day and night.

WJAZ, CHICAGO—448.
11:00 P. M.-3:00 A. M.—Helen Barth, contralto; Max Romer, baritone; Sisson Trio; Oriole Orchestra.

WDAP, CHICAGO—859.
5:00-8:00 P. M.—Dance orchestra.
11:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Dance music.

WMAQ, CHICAGO—447.
8:00 P. M.—Lecture from Northwestern University.
9:00 P. M.—Opera "La Forza Del Destino."

WOS, JEFFERSON CITY—441.
9:00-10:30 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos; agricultural talk.

KDS, ST. LOUIS—546.
8:00 P. M.—Abergh's Ensemble.
12:00 P. M.—Dance music.

WDAF, KANSAS CITY—411.
7:00-8:00 P. M.—Concert program.
12:45-2:00 A. M.—"Nighthawk Frolic," Coon-Sanders Orchestra.

WOC, DAVENPORT, IOWA—484.
7:30 P. M.—Sandman's visit.
7:50 P. M.—Weather forecast; short news.
8:00 P. M.—Lecture, "The Winter Poultry Flock," by M. H. Hoffman.
9:00 P. M.—Organ recital.
10:00 P. M.—Concert Orchestra; Congregational Male Quartet and Women's Chorus.

KHJ, LOS ANGELES—395.
1:00-3:00 A. M.—Hiekman's Orchestra.

WSB, ATLANTA—429.
11:45 P. M.—Radiowl concert.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE—400.
8:00-10:00 P. M.—Meyer's Orchestra; reading; news; official Central Standard Time announced at 10 P. M.

WBAP, FORT WORTH—476.
8:00-9:30 P. M.—Concert program.
10:30-11:45 P. M.—Dance orchestra.

PWX, HAVANA—400.
8:30-11:00 P. M.—Cuban Army Band concert.

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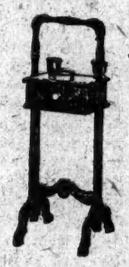

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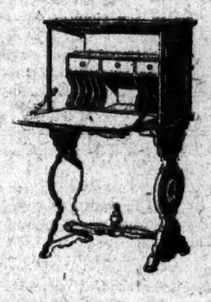

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THE MISCHIEF-MAKING BONUS.

Already the bonus is like a wrench thrown into the machinery of Congress. Republican leaders are gravely discussing whether they shall give it legislative "priority" over the Tax bill. It would seem to make little difference which comes first. Either way, the bonus, if made law, will destroy the Tax bill. Financially, the two are irreconcilable. Secretary MELLON has set forth the figures proving that they are, and no one has seriously challenged his demonstration. It can be disregarded, but it cannot be broken down.

The pressing political question is what the Republican Party proposes to do about it. It is now moving as by one consent to the nomination next year of President COOLIDGE. He has given it a winning issue in tax reduction. But to his mind, as to that of the Republican Secretary of the Treasury, that issue would be eaten up by a bonus bill. This is one reason why the President opposes the bonus, his opposition to which he has also rested on broad grounds of public policy. But now all the glib talk at Washington is of passing the Bonus bill even over the President's veto. Senator SMOOT predicts this as easily and positively as he did last year. He was wrong then, and he may be wrong now; but why give up the fight before it is begun? Why project on the political canvas the ridiculous picture of the Republican Party first overriding its own President on a cardinal point of his program, and then going before the country with him as a candidate whom it delights to honor? It would appear that the bonus is not only demoralizing Republican Congressmen but causing them to lose their wits.

It is obvious that something must be done, quickly and vigorously, to prevent the Republican Party in Congress from making a fool of itself. In such a mix-up as is now present, the President himself will be so seriously involved, and his leadership of the party will be so gravely menaced, that he cannot keep his hands off. In self-defense, as well as in defense of the policies to which he has tied his fortunes, he will be obliged to try to prop up the feeble knees of Senators like Mr. SMOOT. Whether by public appeal, direct approach to wavering Congressmen, or by quiet use of party pressure, it will be incumbent upon Mr. COOLIDGE to keep his party from falling into an absurd and impossible position as regards the bonus. Many of the President's friends are organizing to secure his nomination. But of what avail will it be to win delegates for him if they have to go to Cleveland to vote for a candidate who has been treated with contemptuous disregard by his own party in Congress? Missionary work in behalf of Mr. COOLIDGE undoubtedly should be done, but the place to do it just now is in Congress. There is where the heathen are to be found who are in need of conversion from their idolatry of the bonus.

Nor should the whole blame and burden be thrown upon Washington. The people throughout the nation have a duty to perform in this business. They have seen what can be done by a small and daily diminishing number who have organized to wring the bonus from a reluctant Congress. Now let it be seen what influence can be exerted by the sentiment of the much larger class who have too long been indifferent or lethargic in this affair. Today they have their chance. The movement for the bonus has been renewed at a time and in a way to make it seem more unworthy than ever to the great mass of the people; and their response and protests should be made with no uncertain sound. They may individually shower their Congressmen with letters and telegrams. They may hold meetings to make known their support of President COOLIDGE on this issue. Every kind of social and political and commercial organization should make haste to get on record, so that timid and time-serving Congressmen may be given to understand that more voters are against the bonus than are for it. The whole thing as it has been engineered, and as it now stands before the public, is little less than a defiance of the general sentiment, as well as the general good, of the country. The country ought to answer back in tones that cannot be mistaken.

In this vital matter a policy of drift would be fatal. The mere drifters will be found for the bonus. But they can be pulled out of the current if they are laid hold of energetically. It is high time that Republican managers, from the President down, were stirred into activity to prevent the bonus from not only disrupting their party but degrading it.

"CANDIDATIN'."

"AL" BERWIN, for ten years Republican leader of the Seventh Assembly District, was appropriately honored by an anniversary dinner, ingeniously used as a sort of "amateur night" for the recitations of three Republican statesmen, each of whom is willing to sacrifice himself to the good of the party and be the Republican nominee for Governor next year. Hard is the choice among talents so conspicuous, if so different. Representative MILLS spoke the honeyed word. All three should be Governors in turn. Colonel WILLIAM HAYWARD was perhaps the richest in ardor and political emotion. Every breeze brings to his nostrils the odor of "a gigantic and secret conspiracy," "a conspiracy unequaled since the days of "TWEED."

The Colonel is the man to put down conspiracies. Up-State Republicans, like Mr. KOENIG and other Republican leaders at the Berwinian board, have always renounced Tammany and all its works, never had any dealings with that monster of iniquity. Speaker MACHOLD abounded in reform talk. Why don't "good citizens" register and vote—that is, if they are Republicans? This was safe ground for "ED," though this part of his remarks doesn't apply to those fortunate villagers, the pride of the Republican Party of New York, who don't have to register. Mr. MACHOLD stood on the dizzy peak of "principle." Not from the lowlands of "expediency" could the Republicans go forth to conquer. We love to see Mr. MACHOLD on the heights.

The younger Colonel ROOSEVELT was welcomed with cheers and the saluting handkerchiefs of Chautauqua. Such is the power, Colonel HAYWARD and Mr. MACHOLD may have thought a little bitterly, of imputed and hereditary merit. "Loyalty," said Colonel ROOSEVELT, "is part of leadership. "Loyalty should go two ways—up and "down. The task of leadership is to "get into the minds of people what "the party is doing." That, no doubt, is the secret of the leadership of Mr. BERWIN, Mr. KOENIG, Mr. LIVINGSTON and all the brethren in well-doing. No lips uttered, though every mind must have been thinking of, the dread, perhaps the decisive and fatal words, "wet" and "dry."

TO REFORM PHILADELPHIA.

In the seven years since RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG, the "Old War Horse of Reform," ceased to be Mayor of Philadelphia there has been backsliding in that city. A new broom is needed, and the wielder of it promises to be W. FREELAND KENDRICK, Mayor-elect. He is an organization Republican and has served the city as Receiver of Taxes. At the time of his nomination he was described as "a "'regular fellow' socially, a good "talker and 'mixer,' popular with all "classes, Imperial Potentate of the "Mystic Shrine and head of the Lu "Lu Temple in Philadelphia for many "years." As a Republican he was thought to be a thoroughgoing partisan. Yet in appointing his cabinet he did not name any politicians.

For Director of Public Safety or head of the police force Mr. KENDRICK has borrowed Brig. Gen. BUTLER of the Marine Corps from the Government. The Director of Public Works will be a veteran of the State Highway Department, the Director of Public Health an old health officer and at present Chairman of the Municipal Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, the Director of Public Welfare a member of many fraternal organizations, and the Director of Wharves, Docks and Ferries a shipping man identified with the development of the Port of Philadelphia for forty years. A Director of City Transit is yet to be named.

All bureau chiefs and all employes in the offices of the Mayor and Directors will be asked to resign on Jan. 7, but those who have shown their efficiency will be retained. "So far "as the great body of the city em"ployes are concerned," says Mr. KENDRICK, "Jan. 7, 1924, will mark "for them the beginning of a new "era." Industry and loyalty must govern their tasks, or they go. While the Pennsylvania Civil Service Commission provides that dismissals can be only for "just cause," it is pointed out by Secretary FAUSSET that the Mayor is sole judge of what is "just cause." From his decision there is no appeal. But there are two classes of employes that can be dismissed only after a public hearing by the Civil Service Commission. They are policemen and firemen. It is therefore of the utmost importance that a reform Mayor shall have the support of the local commission. If it is controlled by the politicians, they can balk the Director of Public Safety in his policy of weeding out the incompetent and corrupt. Places on the commission are filled by the City Council. Early in his Administration Mayor KENDRICK will have to command a majority in that body.

If the new Mayor takes RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG as his inspiration, the politicians should be routed and the police made an efficient and trustworthy force. BLANKENBURG went into office in 1911 on a tidal wave of reform. He named a cabinet of strong men. Mayor BLANKENBURG, a practical business man, who, as he said, "did not chase rainbows," made over the police force in one year, reduced if he did not eradicate vice, cut down the number of licensed saloons from 5,773 to 1,948, closed the "speak-easies," hit every abuse that showed its head, and put the political gangs to flight. He accomplished all this because he was honest and unafraid, and was neither Republican, Bull Moose nor Democrat, but simply and always Mayor of Philadelphia.

THE GREEK KING GOES.

By request of the Provisional Government of Greece, which has held office since the revolution of September, 1922, when King CONSTANTINE was expelled, King GEORGE II. is going to Bucharest to visit his wife's people. The National Assembly elected last Sunday will consider the abolition of the monarchy, and the King is asked to go abroad "with a view to assuring calm." According to all appearances he will never come back.

Sunday's elections were one-sided partly because the leaders of the anti-Venizelist parties asked their followers not to vote. How much coercion there may have been, or how much may have been expected by opponents of the Government, does not appear as yet. In November, 1920, the Venizelists controlled the Government and yet were beaten two to one in the popular vote. In the subsequent plebiscite on the return of CONSTANTINE, the Venizelists, knowing that they would be overwhelmingly beaten, simply stayed away from the polls. This may have been the motive back of the recommendation of anti-Venizelist leaders that their supporters should not vote last Sunday.

However, dispatches to the Venizelist Greek National Herald here report that in Athens 86 per cent. of the voters cast their ballots, and that in the rest of the country the abstinence was slight. The royalist parties were badly shattered by the execution of their ablest leaders following the military revolution in September of last year. Such as remained ruined their chances by starting a rebellion last Summer which was suppressed in forty-eight hours. The chiefs of the rising escaped to Italy, and their mere presence there, in the present state of Italian-Greek relations, must discredit them still more.

Thus the only real contest last Sunday was between the moderate and extreme factions of the old Liberal (Venizelist) party—the moderates, including VENIZELOS himself, who prefer a tame monarchy on the British order, and the outright republicans. The moderates seem to have elected about twice as many Deputies as the republicans, but the extremists are strong in the army and strong with the crowd. It is not a bad guess that the session of the new Assembly will lead to the proclamation of a Greek republic. If it does not, it will be because Mr. VENIZELOS does not want it and is strong enough to prevent it.

JOSEPH HENRY.

Night before last there was heard, as far as the radio reached, the tinkling sound of the very bell with which JOSEPH HENRY made the first successful experiment in magnetic telegraphy. He stretched a mile of insulated copper wire about his little room in the Albany Academy, where he was a teacher, one end of the wire being connected with an electro-magnet and the other with this tiny bell. Through this mile of wire the current was sent, producing "an audible signal." This was the precursor of the millions of telephone bells now ringing around the earth. It is fitting that the birthday of this great physicist should have been celebrated in the city of his birth and in the very school in which he taught by broadcasting the tinkle of his bell as well as speeches in tribute to his genius.

This illustrious American—who has been named by that other distinguished American electro-physicist, MICHAEL PUPIN, as one of the three greatest Americans—was born the son of an immigrant Scotch mother and of an immigrant Scotch father (who was identified in the baptismal record as a "day laborer"), married after their coming to America. "Genius is casual in its choice of a birthplace," Secretary BAKER remarked yesterday. And it often seems casual in the selection of its parents. One would not naturally have searched the ships' manifests for the names of those who were to give America such a genius as HENRY, or for the name of his recent disciple, PUPIN.

Wherever the telephone rings in this country, wherever the sound of the little bell was heard Monday night by radio, there should be response to the proposal made by Dr. JOHN M. CLARKE, head of the State Museum, where the Henry experimental apparatus is still kept, and by ex-Governor MARTIN H. GLYNN to preserve in Albany some memorial of this great American and of his forerunning achievement. Ex-Governor GLYNN caused to be brought back from the Panama-Pacific Exposition the plaster cast of a heroic statue of the young inventor. It should be done in lasting bronze and set up within sight of the school where he taught and where he wrought the miracle that has even encircled the earth with "an audible signal."

THE NEW HIPPODROME.

When Mr. DILLINGHAM'S temple of art closed its long and honorable career last Spring, New York seemed likely to lose a famous landmark. The Hippodrome was renowned both as a building and for its associations. It was evident that New York would sadly miss the Hippodrome type of entertainment, and would regret the pulling down of the building in which so many million children had learned how to laugh.

Happily, this last misfortune has been spared us. No huge hotel rises on the site; and Mr. ALBEE, under whose management the Hippodrome reopened on Monday night, has not departed altogether from the old style of entertainment. There are new decorations, new entrances and exits; the stage has been cut down and the famous spectacles have passed, giving place to more familiar types of vaudeville. Mr. ALBEE, who barred prohibition jokes from his programs, could hardly be expected to tolerate even so venerable a tank as that at the Hippodrome. But people are laughing again in the home of laughter; they are besieging the doors as of old; and it may interest those reformers who think the public is panting to plunge into whatever obscenity is offered that the police have to handle the crowds around the ticket window of a show whose purity is unassailable.

STARVING THE ALCOHOL ARGOSY.

United States District Judge LEARNED HAND has made a decision that seems likely to interfere seriously with the food supply of the hovering rum-carriers off the three-mile limit. The American steamer Alex Clark, licensed for coastwise trade, was seized by a Coast Guard cutter fifteen miles off shore. She had no liquor aboard, but was carrying provisions to the liquor squadron. The first count in the libel against her was that under a license for coastwise trade she had traded with a British ship on the high seas. The second count was that she was employed in another trade than that for which she was licensed. Judge HAND held the inescapable point of view both of common sense and of the law.

The steamer was trading when caught. The trade of a vessel proceeding to "a point on the high seas, "where she delivers her cargo, is "other than coastwise, because the "destination is not a point on the "coast of the United States." A coastwise ship going from one American port to another may keep as far off shore as she likes, "but one may "deliver goods anywhere, and if the "point intended be outside the territorial limits of the United States, it "is a point foreign to the United "States and a voyage directed to it "is a foreign voyage." So the steamer will be sold unless an appeal is granted. A stay for an appeal, if granted, would bring about only a delay.

Man cannot live by rum alone. How are these angels of thirst to get their food? Not from licensed coastwise vessels, which will be nabbed for proceeding on a foreign voyage and doing foreign trade. With difficulty from ships licensed for that voyage and trade. These must have their clearance papers. The customs officials may refuse to give them; certainly will refuse them on proof or strong suspicion of an intention to engage in forbidden trade. Any vessels caught in that trade will, of course, be seized. No doubt there will be much ingenious evasion, but Judge HAND'S decision adds to the difficulties of the rum-bringers.

THE FARMERS' YEAR.

The farmers' own department of the Government informs them that their crops this year are worth $8,322,695,000, an increase of $890,000,000 over last year and of $2,603,000,000 over 1921. They must add five stock products, which amounted to $3,716,754,000 for the first year of this century, and have been worth more every other year since. To this total of not less than $12,000,000,000 of the truest wealth, that of products of the soil, it is still necessary to add the more doubtful increase of values of farm lands and buildings. In land alone there was a gain between 1910 and 1920 of from $28,475,674,160 to $54,829,563,059. If pre-war figures are taken for comparison, the farmers have still less to complain of. In 1913 the Secretary of Agriculture reported that crops were worth six billions and animal products three billions. In both 1913 and 1923 there was a drop of quantity made up in large part by an increase in market value.

From their wheat our farmers realize $147,900,000 less than last year, but $303,000,000 more for their corn. There is a theoretical excess in the supply of wheat. The International Institute of Agriculture at Rome reports that, while importing countries raised 110,000,000 centals (hundredweights) less in 1922, they imported much the same quantity of foreign wheat. During the war we learned to eat less wheat because it was so dear, and wheat farmers may find aid in the millers' and bakers' advertisements urging people to eat more bread. Corn is the greatest yielder of dollars to the farmers this year, and it is worth about a half more than in any pre-war year, although less than when the price was boosted by tax money. Cotton is a larger crop than in either of the last two years, in both volume and value.

There remains the grievance of the farmer that when he spends his crop he gets less other goods than he should. That is really a common complaint. High taxes and high tariffs mean high prices. By the latter there is no denying that many farmers have been hard hit. But their sufferings are not so great or exceptional that they have a warrant to seek redress by political means of a sort more damaging to others than beneficial to themselves.

A CERTIFIED CHARITY.

It is unfortunately true that impostures and even frauds are sometimes attempted in the name of charity. Commissioner COLER has asked the District Attorney to investigate several organizations which are soliciting funds, but which he has reason to believe are not conducted in a proper or lawful manner. This action the Commissioner explains as aiming in part to induce people to make inquiries regarding the character of any society to which they are asked to give money.

There can be no doubt of the desirability of such an attitude in these days of discriminating and organized charity. We refer to the matter here only to point out how thoroughly safeguarded every contributor to the Hundred Neediest Cases may be assured that he is. The organizations through which this work of emergency relief is done are all of the highest repute. The cases of acute need which they present have been carefully looked into, and are selected out of many. Moreover, these societies apply the money given without deduction of a single penny for incidental expenses. After the fund is completed and distributed, auditors go over their books to render a detailed account of all receipts and of every outlay. Thus it would be impossible to conceive of a charity at once more appealing and more thoroughly guaranteed against every possible form of misuse. Those who give in aid of the Hundred Neediest Cases may do so in the finest spirit of the Christmas season; so redolent of goodwill and tokens of friendship, and at the same time know that they are sharing in a charity intelligently and scrupulously administered.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

A Question Hard to Answer.

Some of the stories which J. G. CULBERTSON has brought back from the headwaters of the Amazon will excite the wonder of other students of primitive peoples, but none will have difficulty in believing one of the things he says about the Campa Indians. The chiefs of that tribe, he says, asked him: "Why should we work? We have all the fruit and fish we need to live upon. We grow enough cotton to make all the clothes we need. Why should we labor to produce more?"

Why, indeed? Of course reasons could be given, and doubtless would be, by people who wanted to exploit the potential productiveness of these gentle savages—as gatherers of rubber, for instance—but even if the Indians were paid for their toil, it only would be by making them feel dissatisfaction with what they now have that they could have any use for their wages.

One does not have to go to the Upper Amazon, however, to find folk much like these. Our own THOREAU had a mind of something like the same sort, and in every part of every country there are to be found men nearly or quite without the saving instinct—men with no inclination to lay up anything for a rainy day. Such individuals usually are called "shiftless," when still harsher names are not applied to them, but they probably have at least their fair share of happiness as they drift along, and even when the rainy day comes and the poorhouse is their only refuge from its inclemency they are by no means downcast.

Nobody, as a matter of fact, works after all his wants are supplied, and those whose wants are fewest will work least. Wants are of many kinds, however, and for some they include the winning of great fortunes. Food and clothes and a roof over the head are only the beginning of desire for most civilized folk, but not for that reason are they essentially different from the Campa Indians.

Many Needs Make Hard Work.

Sent to investigate the condition of the West Indian negroes, and to look into reports that they were wretchedly paid by the planters, MACAULAY put in his famous article on the subject the statement that while it was true that the blacks received but a trifling wage, from the white standpoint, to raise the rate would be of no advantage either to them or their employers, for they would work only long enough to get the means for supplying their few and simple wants. To double their wages, therefore, would mean that they would cut down the number of their working days by half and enjoy the additional leisure as so much gained.

Whether the taking of this attitude, by negroes or others, is a proof of inferiority or superiority depends upon what one regards as the object of life. Certain fairly eminent philosophers have preached, and a few have practiced, a simplification of needs almost or quite to the extent of complete dependence on nature for sustenance. This ideal can be approached closely, in some parts of the tropics, if one chooses to do so, but the grade of humanity thus produced is commonly regarded as far from high.

It is all a matter of standards—what one wants and thinks he must have if he can get it. Just the same, the industrious should not be sure that they are either happier or better than the systematically idle.

Manhattan Is Not New York.

One of THE TIMES'S correspondents made yesterday a suggestion that was worthy of much consideration, at least from those who constantly yearn to put buildings in Central Park and other of Manhattan's few pleasure grounds. Why, the writer of the letter wanted to know, is it so nearly always assumed that all large structures of a public or monumental nature should be erected in what is, after all, far from the city's largest borough?

Across the East River, he said, there remain vast open spaces that are waiting improvement and use. They are cheap and far from inaccessible, and they could provide sites large enough to make fine buildings visible as they ought to be from all sides, which is more than can be said for any site on Manhattan Island that anybody can afford to buy.

There is something in this suggestion, and something in the correspondent's protest against forgetting that the importance of Manhattan Borough, except as a place for big business and finance, is fast decreasing. To many people it still is New York City, with Brooklyn and the rest merely suburbs, to be mentioned a little derisively if at all. That view is quite wrong, of course, and as the years go on the island between the three rivers—two of which are not real rivers—will more and more lose in population and voting power. The effectual New York will be in the Bronx and over in Kings, Queens and Nassau, with the whole of Westchester, too, if ever the dreadful dream of the realtors—a city of fifty millions—should be realized—for our sins.

A Business Man Wanted as King.

"Important if true" is the rumor coming from several parts of Europe that the Albanians have offered, are going to offer, or have thoughts of offering the position of King to an American millionaire of demonstrated business ability. The name of H. F. SINCLAIR is mentioned as that of the man who can have the crown if he will take it, and his agents are said to be conducting negotiations—finding out what there is in it, perhaps.

Well, the Albanians might do worse, however it might be as to Mr. SINCLAIR. He knows a good deal about oil wells and about race horses, and he would have no great difficulty in being a better King than the Albanians got when they went to Germany for one. A "business administration," however, is about the last that the Albanians could be expected or suspected of wanting.

The trade, profession or art of being King is in its obvious decline, these days. Why even those who were born to it should cling to it is more than slightly mysterious, as it has ceased to be profitable and it never was what insurance companies would call a good risk.

Just who the Albanians are is a question over which the ethnologists have disputed hotly without reaching any firm conclusion. They were washed up on that rocky shore after the sinking of the Roman Empire, and they have maintained a sort of national existence simply because they had a country that nobody else wanted enough to take it away from them.

Aliens as Public Charges.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

At the National Industrial Conference on Immigration, held last week, there was much calling upon figures and in some cases juggling with them to combat the idea that was prevalent that a number of aliens were in city and State institutions, at the expense of the taxpayers, of course.

A letter from the statistician of the State Hospital Commission of Nov. 5 gives this information:

"There are now approximately 10,400 in the civil hospitals for the insane, also a considerable number in the charitable institutions and prisons. Some of these aliens should have been deported by the Federal Government, but the great majority became public charges after being in this country five years and were therefore not deportable. Prior to 1917 only those aliens who became public charges within three years after landing could be deported. In that year the time limit for deportation was extended to five."

So the fact remains that there are a large number, running into the thousands, of aliens that the taxpayers must care for.

It would seem that we should begin to pick our immigrants from law-abiding races, as Australia and New Zealand do, if only as a cold business proposition.

FRANCES G. DE NANNY,
Immigration Restriction League.
New York, Dec. 17, 1923.

A FAUN IN A FLIVVER.

No dream, no startled fancy and no blur
Of vision, grown beauty-dimmed from life,
Lived breathlessly among the dusty books
Wherein dead Attic wonders move again
And woods are peopled with a fur-eared folk;
No madness, this!—
I saw him—watched him pause
Where, on the street, the traffic, like a snake
Of divers colors, wound its course; I saw
Gold laughter in his wood-green eyes; the peak
And point of ears, as, bare of head, he sat
And waited on the signal disk; I saw
Hot longing written on his red, wild mouth
For other traffic in another wide,
Strange wilderness, where silence beats as loud
As battle drums. Amazingly, I saw
The brown hands fast upon the battered wheel
Of that frail chariot, insanely pulled
With swift, mechanic fevers, shaken through
With sound unholy. . . .
Then he smiled and passed,
Goat-foot, in sober shoe, upon the gears . . .
Hail and farewell! my lost, my lonely friend,
Slim demigod, strayed from another day
To bring old romance to an asphalt town. . . .
Where fauns, in flivvers, dare pass lightly by
On brazen highways, with the forest breath
Loosing their hair, and with their magic eyes
Stirring the passer-by to sudden thirst
For pagan passions, wildling ecstasies
By crystal pools in much forgotten Greece.

FAITH BALDWIN.

CHILE'S ELECTION.

A Disclaimer From Señor Serruys, Charge d'Affaires in Washington.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In THE TIMES yesterday there was published a lengthy telegraphic report from Santiago, Chile, entitled "Chile Threatened With Dictatorship." I am instructed by my Government to affirm that the present political difficulties to which the report refers are confined to the electoral campaign for the ordinary renewal of the members of the Congress, which will soon take place, and that there does not exist, even remotely, the danger that the stability of the public institutions may be affected. Respect for the political charter is precisely one of the principles of which the Chilean nation is justly proud to have invariably observed during the almost hundred years of the existence of the Constitution of the State. I am confident that this will authorize me to request you to kindly give space in your important newspaper to this rectification.

OSCAR GANA SERRUYS,
Chargé d'Affaires of Chile.
Washington, D. C., Dec. 18, 1923.

APPEAL OF THE NEEDIEST.

A New View of Its Advantages to Those Who Succor the Needy.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Experience tells us to do good in secret, and most certainly, if you find it necessary to do good at all, the advice is wise. Whenever I have disregarded it I have been sorry. All the friends whom I have succored financially in the time of their distress remember it against me. They resent not having been in a position to play the "beau rôle" themselves.

All those who become the object of charity feel some resentment against the more fortunate alms-giver whose bounty they must perforce accept.

THE TIMES, in instituting its annual public bequest to "The Hundred Neediest," gets around this difficulty by making the affront indirect and anonymous. The needy one is not beholden particularly to any one for the alleviating of his circumstances and thus he can be grateful without arrière pensée.

Feeling, therefore, that Bernard F. (Case 92) will not eventually hate me for coming to his assistance, I am enclosing a small check for his benefit.

Incidentally, I want to thank you for presenting these cases in a non-emotional, terse, matter-of-fact way, without laborious striving for a kind of shoddy pathos. Despite everything that has been said in detraction of New York, it is still human enough to respond, in the measure of its means, to any straightforward and trustworthy exposé of distress within its walls. THE TIMES is performing a public service in providing New Yorkers with this annual opportunity of demonstrating their sense of responsibility, to say nothing of their benevolence.

FRANKLYN PARIS.
New York, Dec. 17, 1923.

CLEAR CASE FOR THE COURT

But the Issue Is Being Confused as Was the League in 1920.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The story is told that a prisoner, following a verdict of guilty of burglary, was called before the Judge for sentence. In answer to the usual question why sentence should not be pronounced he responded that it was manifestly unfair that he should be convicted upon the testimony of a man who kept his head under the covers.

Now every informed person is fully aware of the fact that the election of 1920, so far as the several provisions of the Paris Peace Treaty were an issue, was decided by voters whose heads were under the covers. In that election there were two classes of voters—those opposed to the treaty and those who had read it. For instance, during that campaign and since, voters on all sides were and are iterating and reiterating that President Wilson went to the peace conference at Paris and was hoodwinked into the abandonment of every ideal for which America fought in the war. In short, that his fourteen points were sunk without trace. Such persons simply had and still have their heads under the cover, otherwise they would know the fact to be that eight of those fourteen points were set forth in January, 1917, before we entered the war, in a communication to President Wilson from the French Government, speaking for the allied nations. Then, one year later, in January, 1918, while we were in the midst of the war, our President, in announcing the war aims of America, simply adopted those eight points and added six more, making fourteen in all. Our allies immediately accepted those six additional points and the whole fourteen, together with President Wilson's doctrine of self-determination, were given full force and effect in the several peace treaties. To say that President Wilson abandoned his fourteen points and that they were sunk without trace is to say that the victorious nations at the peace conference abandoned everything for which they had carried on the war to a successful conclusion and made a peace accordingly.

Now, in the matter of President Coolidge's proposal that we adhere to the World Court, those opposed to the proposal have their heads under the covers just as in 1920 in the matter of the peace treaty. Now, as then, the people are divided into two classes—those opposed to the proposal and those who have read it. A few suggestions will conclusively show this to be the case.

The World Court is fully organized and has been functioning for nearly two years, one of the judges being John Bassett Moore, an American. The court is open to the United States to sue and be sued and arbitrate its disputes with other nations, just as it is open to each of the fifty-four nations that are members of the League of Nations. President Coolidge's proposal is simply that we adhere to the court to the extent of taking part in the election of judges and bearing our proper share of the expense of its maintenance—simply that and nothing more.

For this nation to reject such a plainly beneficial proposal is to establish conclusively that we, as a people, have our heads under the covers.

J. J. BOUCHER.
Chicago, Dec. 16, 1923.

Anti-Bonus Veterans' Meeting.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The City Club Post of the American Legion is desirous of getting in touch with Legion posts in which a majority of the members oppose the proposed cash bonus for able-bodied former service men. We wish to communicate also with those posts which have a substantial minority which opposes a bonus.

It is planned to hold a meeting of representatives of these various posts some time in January at the City Club, and the publication of this letter will help us obtain as large a number of representatives as possible.

Secretary Mellon writes to the City Club Post that "the response from the country regarding this program"—for tax reduction—"has been most encouraging, but it remains to convince Congress that public opinion supports these recommendations. If the public generally will make its wishes known to Congress with whom the matter rests, I believe that a material reduction in taxes can be effected at the coming session of Congress."

Out of 107 members the City Club Post has been able to discover but a single member who believes in the bonus.

CARL H. GETZ, Commander.
New York, Dec. 10, 1923.

TANGIER AGREEMENT IS SIGNED IN PARIS

Spanish Delegate Stipulates That He Is Only Submitting It to Madrid.

DOUBT AS TO ITS RECEPTION

Instrument Rejects Some Spanish Claims—America to Share in Administrative Functions.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—A summary of the Tangier agreement, signed provisionally today in Paris by Great Britain, France and Spain, was given out here tonight. By it the permanent neutrality of the Tangier zone is assured in the most categorical and comprehensive terms. These provide:

That economic equality among the powers shall continue to be observed at Tangier, even if the existing commercial treaties with Morocco are denounced.

That no treaty concluded in future by the Sultan of Morocco shall apply to Tangier without the consent of the International Assembly.

The establishment of an international administration at Tangier naturally involves the suppression of the capitulations. Those natives who have been enjoying foreign protection will be under the jurisdiction of the European mixed courts and not the native courts.

Moroccan francs and Spanish pesetas will continue to be legal tender in Tangier.

The Sultan will be represented in Tangier by "Mendoub," who will be charged with the administration of the native population and will have powers of expulsion. He may, however, expel a European only at the demand of the latter's Consul or the mixed tribunal.

The Government of Tangier, except in so far as the administration of the native population is concerned, will be under a Committee of Control and an International Legislative Assembly. The Committee of Control will consist of eight consular officers of the powers which signed the Algeciras agreement. It will be their duty to veto any legislation which violates the Tangier statute.

The International Assembly will consist of twenty-six members. Of the European members, four will be French, four Spanish and three British, the other signatories of the Algeciras agreement being also represented. This assembly will have complete legislative authority over the native and European population. The native population will be represented by six Mussulmans and three Jews. The Mendoub will be ex-officio President of the Assembly and will be assisted by three Vice Presidents of French, British and Spanish nationality. The International Assembly will nominate all administrative officers. For an initial period of six years the administrator and his two assistants will, however, be nominated by the three Governments. In view of the preponderance of French interests, it has been decided that the administrator shall be French. His two assistants will be British and Spanish. The commander of the gendarmerie will be a Belgian.

The Control of the Debt, which now manages the customs and the Government lands in the Tangier zone, will disappear. The Shereefian [Moroccan] Government, however, has guaranteed the interest payable by Tangier on the 1904 and 1910 loans, the Tangier-Fez Railway bonds and the Tangier Harbor bonds, a total of more than 4,000,000 francs a year.

The head of the customs service will be nominated by the Shereefian Government, but the customs service will be under the control of the international administration, and its accounts will be submitted for the approval of the Assembly. The Government lands will come under the international administration. A committee appointed under the authority of the Committee of Control will insure economic equality in the administration of the port, which will be genuinely international, so that there can be no fear of unfair discrimination.

As soon as the convention has been ratified by the Governments of the three contracting parties, the latter will approach the other signatories of the Algeciras agreement and invite them to adhere to it.

The complete neutralization of the Tangier zone is provided for, and the construction of fortifications and all other preparations for war are categorically forbidden.

PARIS, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—The agreement between the powers for the future status of Tangier was signed at the Foreign Office this afternoon by the French, British and Spanish delegates. Prior to the ceremony the Spanish representative announced that he would act with the reservation that his signature be subject to the approval of his Government.

The plan maintains the open door at the port and provides for the protection of the interests of the foreign residents through an international assembly in which the United States will be represented. The capitulations are abolished and replaced by a mixed tribunal composed of French, Spanish and British magistrates, which will apply the codes and rules of the French and Spanish zones in Morocco.

In signing with a reservation the Spanish delegate stated that he agreed to the text only as a suggestion to his Government. In fact, the French and British Governments must also approve the project, which will then be submitted to all the signers of the Algeciras Treaty with the exception of Germany and Austria.

OWEN DEFENDS EX-KAISER.

Senator Puts the Blame for War on France and Russia.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Senator Owen of Oklahoma, speaking in the Senate this afternoon, declared that there were in existence secret diplomatic documents which appeared to demonstrate that the Kaiser and his subordinate war lords did not will the World War, but on the other hand sought to prevent it, and that finally when they took up arms they did so because they were convinced that Russia and France were secretly planning to launch an offensive against Germany.

His speech, with the exhibits, was a document of more than 40,000 words, only a part of which was read by him. It will be printed in full in the Congressional Record.

The Foreign Offices of the principal nations of Europe were full, Senator Owen said, of evidence which led to the conclusion that Germany and her allies were not solely responsible for the tragedy of 1914. It was, he argued, of supreme international importance that the world should understand the part which these Foreign Offices had in bringing about the World War. The people of the European nations involved, he remarked, did not "will their own death and destruction."

Senator Owen argued that German reparations should be fixed "in honor and justice by disinterested judges and experts, not by beneficiaries or representatives moved by the old principle of European diplomacy that led directly to the war."

"The interest of the American people," he continued, "is affected in many ways by the present instability of Europe. Until the nations are stable they cannot repay the loans due the United States, and we cannot reduce taxes as we should be able to do. The European demand for American goods, the ability to pay for such products, the internal effect on the prices of agricultural products and manufactures, all depend on European stability, as well as the equally important matter of world peace and international good-will.

"If American ideals were accepted by the statesmen of Europe—the ideals of international understanding and goodwill, of international justice and helpfulness—the European nations could disarm, balance their budgets, stabilize their currency, go into maximum production and into an era of prosperity and peace

MISSES GERRY GIVE DINNER AND DANCE

Festivities Are Interrupted by Firemen Responding to a False Alarm.

OGDEN MILLS IS A HOST

Many Dinners Precede Second Tuesday Dinner-Dance—Others Entertain.

There was considerable entertaining for society last evening.

The Misses Angelica and Mabel Gerry entertained at their home, 2 East [illegible] first Street, with a large dinner followed by dancing. The guests included the married set and many of the you ger set. A number of their guests for dancing came on from the dinner Ogden Mills gave at his home, 2 East Sixty-ninth Street.

The dancing at the Gerry home was interrupted when firemen dragging their hose arrived to put out a blaze "discovered" in the drawing room by a man passing the house. Gayeties soon were resumed, however, when it was found that what the man in the street had seen was a pile of flaming logs in the fireplace which lit the room so brightly that from the outside it seemed that the house was afire.

The second Tuesday Dinner-Dance, in the Rose Room of the Plaza, under the direction of Miss Florence James, took place last night, and was preceded by many dinners.

Miss Mary Steers gave a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Frederic L. Coudert Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Franklin Jr., Miss Helen Elmes, Miss Augusta Trimble and J. Rich Steers Jr., Paul L. Tyson and Francis Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Wykes entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Culver. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Graham Smyth, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Taylor, Miss Mary Cullen and Shah-Mir Effendi, Turkish Consul in New York.

Mrs. Duncan Sterling gave a dinner for Mrs. Lee Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Theron B. Strong, E. Vail Stebbins. Others who entertained at the dinner dance were Mrs. David Heller, Mrs. Henry Anderson Goman, Mrs. Raymond Havemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Tilt, Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan Schley, Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard C. Schermerhorn, Mrs. Walter Rutherfurd, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Budd, Philip Rhinelander, Mrs. Paul Thebaud and her son, Raynal Thebaud, Mr. and Mrs. David Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chandler.

The third dance will take place on Jan. 8.

The annual performance of the National Association for American Speech, of which Miss Dagmar Perkins is President, for the benefit of its scholarship fund, held at the Plaza last night, was largely attended. Among those who entertained at dinner preceding the entertainment were Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Mrs. William Blair Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Brokaw, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Guggenheim, Mrs. Samuel Streit, Mrs. John J. Watson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson Pierce Taylor, Mrs. John Nichols and Mrs. Edmund Neer.

A play entitled "A Christmas Fantasy" was produced with children of various ages. Miss Marian Nichols took the part of Santa Claus and Miss Gertrude Dean represented the spirit of the Christmas Tree. John Toohy, aged seven, recited "If Santa Doesn't Come." Miss Perkins also appeared on the program in groups of interpretations with musical accompaniment.

A bridge and mah-jong party was held yesterday afternoon in the Louis XV. ballroom of the Ambassador under the auspices of the New York Diet Kitchen Association. The proceeds will be devoted to the $50,000 Fiftieth Anniversary Fund of the association, which maintains six baby health stations in New York. Mrs. Nicholas F. Brady was Chairman of the committee in charge and was assisted by Mrs. E. F. Dwight, Mrs. Benjamin Prince, Mrs. Gordon Harris, Mrs. James D. Voorhees, Mrs. J. W. Tilton, Mrs. Robert C. Black and Mrs. Rowland G. Freeman.

Mrs. Irving Schmeisel gave a luncheon and bridge party yesterday afternoon at her home, 585 Park Avenue, for Mrs. Edward Cadwalader of Villanova, Pa. There were twenty-four guests, including Mrs. William Howard Maynard, Mrs. Theodore L. Bailey, Mrs. John Philbrick Laflin, Mrs. Edward P. Whitaker, Mrs. Leonard Hill, Mrs. Charles O'Day, Mrs. William Vail Martin, Mrs. Charles Philip Easton and Mrs. Charles Bentley.

PARTIES FOR DEBUTANTES.

Miss Delafield and Miss Judson Are Entertained.

Mrs. Edward C. Delafield gave a reception yesterday at her home, 6 East Sixty-fifth Street, to introduce her débutante daughter, Miss Margaretta Stockton Delafield, to the older friends of Mr. Delafield and herself. The Misses Elizabeth Marryman Franklin and Eleanor Pettines assisted Miss Delafield in receiving. Mrs. Delafield gave a dance last week for her daughter, to which the débutantes of the season and the dancing set were asked to meet her.

Mrs. Henry W. J. Buckmall of Lochead, Glen Cove, L. I., entertained at the Colony Club yesterday with a luncheon for Miss Anne Judson, the débutante daughter of William David Judson of Cos Cob corner, Rye, whose mother, the late Mrs. Judson, was one of her closest friends.

Mr. Judson will give a dinner at Pierre's, and a dance afterward for his daughter at Sherry's on Friday evening, Dec. 28.

MISS BAYLIES A BRIDE.

Married to Harry Gray Carley at St. Bartholomew's.

The marriage of Miss Caroline Harriet Baylies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholas Baylies of 840 Park Avenue, and Harry Gray Carley of this city took place at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the chapel of St. Bartholomew's Church. The ceremony was followed by a small reception at Sherry's.

Mrs. Loyden Wainwright of Cedarhurst, L. I., was matron of honor, and the bridesmaids were the Misses Mary and Catherine Card of Chicago, Marjory Harris of Rochester and Candace Woodruff of Litchfield, Conn. Wallace Ayres was best man, and the ushers were Charles Clapp, James Maitland, Roy Floyd Jones and Wilfrid Wood.

MISS ORLOWSKA WEDS.

Married to Count Alexander Ladechowski in Paris.

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PARIS, Dec. 12.—Miss Dorothea Orlowska, daughter of Count and Countess Micialles Orlowska, was married today to Count Alexander Ladechowski. The bride is a granddaughter of Mrs. Frederick W. Stevens of New York.

The wedding ceremony was attended by many Americans, it being one of the most fashionable of the season.

Miss Cooper's Bridal Plans.

Plans have been completed for the wedding of Miss Marion Dodge Cooper, daughter of Henry Dodge Cooper of 815 Park Avenue, and Robert Sharp Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Fletcher of Brooklyn, which will take place at 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Dec. 27 in the chantry of St. Thomas's Church. The Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires is officiating and the ceremony will be followed by a reception at Sherry's. The bride will be attended by Mrs. Stuart Peck as matron of honor and Miss Malvina Varet as maid of honor. Little Miss Jessica Peck will be a flower girl. Henry Fletcher will be his brother's best man, and the ushers will be Harry Ward, Gilbert Rinaker, William Quinn, Stuart Peck, Lester Holmes and Dudley Cooper, brother of the bride.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Mrs. Vincent Astor is giving a dinner this evening at her home, 840 Fifth Avenue, for the officers and members of the Advisory Council of the League of Foreign Born Citizens and a few friends. The dinner will be followed by a discussion of plans to widen the scope of the league's activities.

James Speyer will entertain at dinner at his home, 1,058 Fifth Avenue, on Monday evening, Dec. 24.

Mrs. C. B. Alexander of 4 West Fifty-eighth Street is recovering from her illness.

Mrs. Lamotte du Pont arrived from Wilmington, Del., to meet some friends coming on the Berengaria, and is staying at the Vanderbilt, where Mr. and Mrs. John T. Gillespie of Morristown, N. J., are guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Kernochan have come from their country place at East Norwich, L. I., and will be at the Lorraine for a few days.

Baron de Cartier, the Belgian Ambassador, left the Ritz-Carlton yesterday for Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gilbert Jr. will entertain a party this evening at the Wednesday supper-dance at the Lorraine.

Robert Gordon McKay is ill at his residence, 294 East Sixty-second Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Van Santvoord of Troy are here for a visit and are staying at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis L. Clarke of 998 Fifth Avenue will sail for Bermuda on Saturday. After their return they will entertain at dinner and take their guests to the special performance of "Tosca" on Jan. 1 in honor of Antonio Scotti's twenty-fifth year of association with opera in New York.

Mrs. J. Low Harriman has taken an apartment at the Lee House in Washington, D. C., for the Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Richardson of Greenwich, Conn., are at the Hotel Chatham for a visit.

Cora, Countess of Strafford, has returned to her apartment at the Plaza after a visit to Washington, D. C., where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Laughlin.

Mrs. Archibald Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Rae H. Rogers have come from their country home, Crumwold Hall, at Hyde Park, N. Y., and are at the Ambassador.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert H. Alden have closed their home at 15 East Forty-eighth Street and will be at the Ambassador until Jan. 12, when they will sail for Europe on the Majestic.

The Mah Jong fete will be held this evening at the Plaza at 10:30 o'clock for the benefit of the Big Sisters' organizations.

Captain and Mrs. Ernest A. Ingram and Mrs. Ingram's daughter, Miss Gloria Caruso, arrived on the Berengaria yesterday, and have taken an apartment at the St. Regis for the Winter.

Mrs. Theodore Schumacher entertained at dinner at the St. Regis last night, and later took her guests to the opera in Brooklyn. Her guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. Archibald Pell and Mrs. Stanley Dwight.

CARNARVON'S WIDOW TO WED A SOLDIER

Lieut. Col. Ian Donnistoun Announces His Engagement to the Dowager Countess.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The newspapers announce that Lieut. Col. Ian Dennistoun, formerly of the Grenadier Guards, has given notice at the Register office in London of his intended marriage to Almina, Countess of Carnarvon, widow of the late Earl Carnarvon, discoverer of Tut-ankh-Amen's tomb.

The Earl of Carnarvon married Almina Wombwell, daughter of Frederick C. Wombwell, in 1895. She was said to have received a large fortune from Alfred Rothschild, who had virtually adopted her. She was sometimes called in London society "La Petite Marquise" and was noted as being one of the best dressed women in London. She and the Earl entertained a great deal at their Highelere Castle. During the illness of her late husband last Spring she made use of an airplane to hasten her trip with a specialist from London to Cairo.

Ian Onslow Dennistoun, late of the Grenadier Guards, is 44 years old and was married before, in 1910, to Dorthy Webster. He served with distinction in the Boer War and in the World War.

EXPECT PRINCE TO WED.

Ottawa Looks for Betrothal of Eric of Denmark and Miss Booth.

Special to The New York Times.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 18.—Society here is interested in the expected betrothal of Miss Lois Booth, granddaughter of J. R. Booth, and Prince Eric of Denmark. Miss Booth and her mother will arrive here tomorrow from California and Prince Eric is expected to spend Christmas with the Booth family.

No engagement will be announced until Prince Vlademar, father of Prince Eric, again visits Ottawa. Before there is a definite betrothal Miss Booth's family will insist that Prince Vlademar bring assurances that Miss Booth, if she married Prince Eric, will receive the same rank and recognition as her royal husband.

Prince Eric has a ranch near Calgary. He is a nephew of Dowager Queen Alexandra of Great Britain and a cousin of King George V. It was at Banff he first met Miss Booth. Two years ago he visited in Ottawa with his cousin, Prince Rene de Bourbon, a brother of the ex-Empress Zita of Austria, and it was then the first report of his engagement to Miss Booth arose.

Prince Eric is 30 years old. Miss Booth is 27. She is the favorite grandchild of J. R. Booth, reputed to be worth $40,000,000.

COUPLE WED IN MID-OCEAN.

Captain of Leviathan Unites an American and German Bride.

Captain Herbert Hartley, master of the Leviathan of the United States Lines, reported by radio to the offices at 45 Broadway yesterday that he had performed the wedding ceremony on board the ship uniting L. R. Afban of Los Angeles and Miss Molly von Kahlben of Berlin. The young people first met during the war.

The ceremony was performed in the Captain's office. John McGraw, manager of the Giants, gave the bride away and Senator W. F. Doyle of Boston was best man.

"VANITY FAIR" BALL.

Will Follow Final Benefit Performance on Dec. 22.

A ball is to follow the final performance of "Vanity Fair of 1923" on Saturday evening, Dec. 22, at the Waldorf-Astoria. The production is under the auspices of the Junior League of the Cardiac Committee of the Public Education Association and the proceeds will be used for the Mineola home and the New York cardiac classes. Cories and Peggy will appear at the ball as well as a number of other professional entertainers.

The revue is being rehearsed under the direction of Sigmund Romberg, and Miss Mary Leslie is directing the dances. One of the features will be the "May Leslie Girls," a dozen amateurs trained in the Tiller style. The music is by Alfred Nathan Jr., the lyrics by Edward H. Dreyer, and the book by Cyrus Wood. Irving S. Strouse Jr. is stage manager. Tickets for the performance on Dec. 22 and the two on Dec. 23 are to be had from Mrs. Clarence Mulhiser, 270 Park Avenue.

Hundred-Dollar Art Show Opens.

The second annual $100 holiday exhibition of paintings opened yesterday at the New Gallery, to continue to Dec. 31. More than fifty pictures of American artists are shown, most of which will be sold at $100 each.

BUTLER LAYS STONE FOR NEW SCHOOL

Men Prominent in Finance and Commerce Attend Ceremonies at Columbia.

MEETS NEEDS OF BUSINESS

Building Will Cost $1,000,000—355 Students in Institution Last Year, Says Director.

With ceremonies marking "the development of business from a calling into a profession," Columbia University yesterday laid the cornerstone of its new $1,000,000 School of Business. The event, described as epochal in the expansion of university instruction, was attended by men prominent in finance, commerce, industry and education.

The exercises took place at Room, the director of the school, Professor James C. Egbert, presiding. After the singing of "America" by students, teachers and guests, the cornerstone was put in place by President Nicholas Murray Butler.

As Dr. Butler grasped the silver trowel, William J. Skinner, president of the Stone Mason and Setters' Union 84, presented a certificate of honorary membership in the Bricklayers', Masons' and Plasterers' International Union of America to him.

Dr. Butler warmly eulogized John Whalen, Columbia's veteran Superintendent of Construction, who, Dr. Butler recalled, was present at the laying of the cornerstone of the first building erected by the university on Morningside Heights in 1895.

Dr. Alexander C. Humphreys, Chairman of the Advisory Board of the School of Business and President of Stevens Institute of Technology, in an address pointed out that the demands created by the reaching out of human endeavor have forced a change in the attitude of schools of higher learning.

After the ceremony a luncheon was given at the Faculty House, the guests including Dr. Butler, Dr. Humphreys, Dr. John P. Munn, Cornelius Pugsley, Frederick Coykendall, General William Barclay Parsons, Marcellus Hartley Dodge, Albert W. Putnam, T. Ludlow Chrystie, W. H. Aldridge, Newbold Morris, the Rev. Caleb R. Stetson, Frederick A. Goetze, Professor Robert M. Haig, Professor Roy B. Kester, Professor Roswell C. McCrea, Professor Thurman Van Metre, Professor H. Parker Willis, Chaplain Raymond C. Knox and Frank D. Fackenthal.

In his annual report made public yesterday, Dr. James Chidester Egbert, Director of the School of Business, described the widening influence of the school and of its provision for the needs of hundreds of students seeking instruction in this field. The number of students last year was 355, with 114 in the first year and 99 in the second year of the undergraduate course. Candidates for the degree of Master of Science numbered fifty-six.

TEACHERS MAKE PROTEST.

Union's Head Asks Explanation of Physical Examination.

Henry R. Linville, President of the Teachers' Union, in a letter to the Board of Education commenting on the recent appointment of four physicians to examine teachers whose absences have been caused by nervous ailments and throat diseases, declared yesterday that an investigation by the Teachers' Union gave support to the common belief that the ailments of teachers were due to "the policy of false economy pursued by the city, which is responsible for overwork and improper physical conditions."

"In view of the doubtful significance of the board's proposal, the Teachers' Union requests the Board of Education to make a clear and definite statement concerning the basic facts that gave rise to the formulation of the plan to employ a staff of physicians," he wrote. "Should corrective measures appear to be necessary, the Teachers' Union believes that the Board of Education should frankly take the teachers and the public into its confidence. If the purpose is to provide additional machinery for disciplining teachers, we insist on being party to the consideration of measures to be taken."

LEAGUE CHEAPER THAN WAR

Irving Fisher Advocates Harmony at Temple Beth Emeth.

Professor Irving Fisher of Yale University, in an address at the Forum of Temple Beth Emeth, Flatbush, said last night that in the present state of world affairs America had two choices: either to league with other nations to prevent war or go into an armament race with a determination to lead it.

"The basic fact is that the world has shrunk into one great neighborhood, but has not yet adjusted itself to its new state of existence," said Professor Fisher. "The (or a) League, from a commercial point of view, constitutes a great mutual war insurance company, each nation joining because it is both cheaper and more effectual to provide against war by paying small insurance premiums to pay for a league than by maintaining a great army."

WAR HERO'S REVOLVER SOLD

Weapon Was Carried by Waller When He Shot Immelman.

The revolver carried by James H. Waller when he at et down Lieutenant H. Max Immelman, German ace, in 1916 with a machine gun, was sold Monday night at an auction of the articles of Veterans in the Caledonia Club, Fifty-fourth Street and Seventh Avenue. The weapon will be framed in the clubroom as a memorial to the former owner, who died a short time after from injuries received in the World War.

Other effects of Waller, including two fighting cocks and a gun case, were also sold, the receipts of the auction to be sent to the late soldier's relatives in London. About three hundred of Waller's former comrades attended the auction.

Blue Ridge School Dance Jan. 28.

The annual dance for the benefit of the Blue Ridge Industrial School of Virginia will be held in the Delia Robbia Room at the Vanderbilt on Monday evening, Jan. 28. Among the many patronesses are Mrs. Lewis Cass Albert, Mrs. George Gordon Battle, Mrs. Cortlandt V. Jones, Mrs. Ralph H. Graves, Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, Mrs. Buchanan Schley Jr., Mrs. T. Barrington Semple, Mrs. Edward R. Stettinius and Mrs. George Bolling Lee.

Gould Estate Hearing Postponed.

Further proceedings in the $82,000,000 accounting suit over the estate of Jay Gould were postponed yesterday by Referee Howard W. Hatch, at 165 Broadway, until Jan. 2. The adjournment was granted because former Judge Samuel Seabury, trial counsel for Frank J. Gould, the principal objector to the accounting filed by his brother, the late George J. Gould, was engaged in the Hearst action in the Supreme Court.

Obituary Notes.

THOMAS F. LYNCH, statesman, of 26 West 124th Street, died yesterday at the Flower Hospital, aged 42. While a foreman in the West Fiftieth Street Station in June, 1908, he led Harry H. Thaw to his cell and had charge of him during the night.

LOUIS HENDRICKS, veteran actor, who supported David Warfield and Louis Mann in many plays, died yesterday, aged 68.

The Rev. FREDERICK WILLIAM ROBY, 84 years old, died at the home of his son, Frederick Roby, in Brooklyn, after a long illness. He retired from the ministry ten years ago.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS REUBEL, 72 years old, a retired farmer, died at his home in Huntington, L. I., yesterday.

Mrs. MARY E. NEER, wife of Warren Neer, died yesterday at the home of her son, Frederick, in her fifty-third year.

ALBERT LEWIS, 80 years old, capitalist and philanthropist, died at Palm Coast, Fla., yesterday. Mr. Lewis was a bachelor. His operations in the gas field in Northeastern Pennsylvania and southern States.

THE REV. ROBERT REIN DIES.

Former Chaplain of Raymond Street Jail and Evangelist.

The Rev. Robert Rein, evangelist, formerly chaplain of the Raymond Street Jail, Brooklyn, died yesterday in the Brooklyn Hospital for the Insane.

He was 59 years old. Chaplain Rein had been a bartender in Hall's Kitchen, an evangelist with the Indians, with circuses, Buffalo Bill's Wild West, and in Chinatown. In 1920 he advertised for any kind of a job that would keep him and his wife alive. A restaurant put him to work as a waiter, then as cashier. Later he became chaplain of the jail and of the Eastern District Industrial School in Brooklyn, and preached on Sunday at the parental school in Jamaica. He and his wife were removed to the Kings County Hospital in August last. Mrs. Rein died soon afterward. Both were destitute.

ROBERT S. SMITH DIES.

Worth Millions, He Arrived Here Forty Years Ago With $5.75.

Robert S. Smith, whose realty holdings in Far Rockaway are reputed to be worth $3,000,000, died suddenly yesterday of heart disease at his home in Far Rockaway. He leaves a widow and four children.

Mr. Smith was born in Russia in 1864. He landed here forty years ago with $5.75, which he made selling cigars on the ship. He bought the outfit of a pushcart peddler of notions for $4.50, made enough to manufacture plush coats, and later owned several department stores here and in New England. He also operated in Manhattan and Long Island real estate, one of his deals being much talked of—his purchase of the small triangular plot at the northwest corner of Broadway and Thirty-fourth Street for $378,000, and his later refusal to sell for $1,000,000.

Mrs. Dix, ex-Governor's Wife, Dies.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Gertrude A. Dix, wife of former Governor John A. Dix, died this afternoon in Santa Barbara, Cal., according to a telegram received in this city. Mrs. Dix was Gertrude A. Thomson before her marriage and was the daughter of Leeson Thomson, an Albany business man. Mr. and Mrs. Dix were married in April, 1889. Mrs. Dix was stricken with acute heart trouble two years ago and had been an invalid since.

Miss Edna Dean Proctor.

Miss Edna Dean Proctor, author and poet, died Tuesday at her home in Framingham, Mass., in her ninety-fifth year. One of her best known books is "Mountain Maid and Other Poems of New Hampshire."

Born.

HERTS—To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jay Herts, 2,345 Broadway, a daughter, on Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1923.

Engaged.

HUYMAN—HARBURGER — Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harburger of New Rochelle announce the engagement of their daughter, Marguerite, to Mr. Jerome Huyman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huyman of 1,026 Fox Av., New York City. Reception Sunday, Dec. 23, at Hotel Greystone, 91st St. and Broadway, after 3 o'clock. No cards.

Married.

SCHWARTZ—WINKLER—On Sunday, Dec. 16, at the Savoy Hotel, by Rabbi Ralph B. Hershon, Lilyan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Winkler, to Mr. Harry Schwartz.

Died.

ALBERTSON—John Augustus, at Westbury, N. Y., on Twelfth month, 17th, 1923. Funeral services will be held at his late home on Fifth day, 20th, at 11 o'clock. Trains leave Pennsylvania Railroad station at 9:59 A. M. will be met. Interment at convenience of family.

ALLEN—John, Brethren of Park Lodge No. 516, F. and A. M., are summoned to attend Masonic funeral services for Brother John Allen on Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 8 P. M., at Eickenberg's Funeral Parlor, 934 8th Av.

LESLIE E. CLEMENS, Master.
BERNARD LEIDNER, Secretary.

AUSTIN—Suddenly, on Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1923, William P. Austin, in his 76th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 5,622 Fisehill St., Hollis, L. I., on Friday, Dec. 21, 1923, at 3 P. M.

BROWN—Mass for the repose of the soul of Thomas McKee Brown, Priest, Church of St. Mary the Virgin, 133 West 46th St., Wednesday, Dec. 19, 10:45 A. M.

CAMOVITO—Charlotte Eleanor, wife of Vincent Camovito, Dec. 17, at her home, 116 8th St., Lakewood, N. J. She leaves her husband, Vincent; a daughter, Mrs. William E. Ray, and a son, Arthur. Services will be held at the home Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be at Woodlawn Cemetery.

CELLER—Ruth, beloved daughter of Anna and the late Gustav and sister of Jacob, Yeonye, Alla, Marion and Ralph, at Union Hospital, Dec. 16, 1923. Burial from Meyers's, 238 Lenox Av., Wednesday, 2:30, at Mount Carmel Cemetery, Cypress Hills.

CHARLES—On Dec. 17, 1923, Samuel Charles. Funeral services at his late residence, 597 Bloomfield Av., Verona, N. J., Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 2:30. Interment Mount Hebron Cemetery, Montclair. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

CLARK—At Newark, N. J., Dec. 16, 1923, Emmeline S. Clark, in her 72d year. Services private, at the home of her niece, 15 Prospect St., Upper Montclair. Interment Athens Rural Cemetery, Athens, N. Y.

COBB—Charles William Cobb, at rest, beloved husband of Marion L. (Whitmarsh) Cobb, Sunday, Dec. 16, 1923. Services at his late home, 15 Lincoln Road, Brookline, Mass., at 2 P. M., and at the church at 3:30 P. M., Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923.

COLLINE—At Montclair, N. J., Dec. 18, 1923, Agnes daughter of the late Lewis and Grace W. Collins. Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. R. Gushman Jr., 30 Midland Av., Montclair, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 20, at 3 o'clock.

CORBIN—At Passaic, N. J., Sunday, Dec. 16, 1923, Charles Matthews Corbin. Funeral services at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Charles D. Van Houten, Paulison Av., Thursday, Dec. 20, at 3 o'clock.

CORNISH—At Liberty, N. Y., on Monday, Dec. 17, 1923, Anna V. Cornish. Funeral service at her late residence, 119 Locust Hills Av., Yonkers, N. Y., at 2 P. M. Wednesday. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

CROCTON—Nellie Louise, eldest daughter of the late William E. and Eliza C. Crocker. Services at Campbell's Funeral Church, 8 P. M. Tuesday, Dec. 20. Interment at convenience of family.

CROMIE—On Monday, Dec. 17, 1923, Jennie Hutchinson, widow of James Cromie. Funeral services at her late residence, 576 East 23d St., Brooklyn, Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 8 P. M.

DERRICKS—At Hackensack, N. J., Dec. 17, 1923, Phebe Ann, beloved daughter of Elias Dash Derricks (late Mayor of Hackensack), aged 63 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 50 Dietrich Place, Hackensack, N. J., Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 2 o'clock.

DISBROW—Suddenly, on Dec. 15, beloved husband of Bertha, father of Martin, Julius, Leo and Esther. Funeral from late residence, 1,433 79th St., Brooklyn, Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 2 P. M. Interment Washington Cemetery.

FINLEY—Suddenly, Dec. 17, Elizabeth. Service Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock, at the residence of her son, Robert Finley, 124 West 69th St.

FORD—Sunshine Helen, at 19 West 10th St., on Monday, the 17th of December, wife of Frank Richards Ford and daughter of George William Pendleton and the late Helen Wallace Pendleton. Funeral services at the Church of the Transfiguration, 1 East 29th St., on Wednesday, the 19th of December, at 11:30 A. M. Interment private.

FRANKEL—Bernard M., at his residence, 311 East 17th St., New York, Saturday, Dec. 15, 1923, after a prolonged illness, aged 74. Services in the Memorial Chapel of Masonic Hall, 46 West 24th St., New York City, on Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923, at 1 P. M. Interment private. Thursday, A. M., at Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Died.

FRANKEL—Edward, M. D., Knox Lodge 454, F. and A. M. Brethren: We regretfully announce the death of our brother, Edward Frankel, on Sunday, Dec. 16, 1923. You are hereby requested to attend Masonic services in the Kane-Feary Room, 46 West 24th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923, at 8 P. M.

JOE E. HEDGES, Master.
HENRY N. MOELLER, Secretary.

FRANKEL—Cour de Lion Commandery, No. 58, Knights Templar—Sir Knights: You are requested to attend the funeral services of our late frater, Sir Edward Frankel, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 19, in the Kane-Feary Room, Masonic Hall, 46 West 24th St., New York City, at 8 o'clock.

PETER SCHMUCK, Commander.
SAMUEL C. WILSON, Recorder.

FRANKEL—Charles, at his residence, 402 West 22nd St., Dec. 18, beloved husband of Jennie and father of Bessie (Mrs. Berger) and Ruth. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FRIED—Mina, on Dec. 18, in her 85th year. Funeral from the chapel of Sam A. Peretschild, 159 West 125th St., on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 10 A. M.

FRIEND—Sarah F. E. (nee Bromley), suddenly, on Dec. 17, dearly beloved wife of Theodore H. Friend. Funeral from her late residence, 1,507 Monroe Av., Bronx, on Wednesday at 8:30 P. M. Interment Thursday morning at Woodlawn.

HALL—On Monday, Dec. 17, 1923, Arthur, beloved husband of Alice Mayhew, aged 58 years. Services at his late residence, 860 93d St., Brooklyn, Thursday, Dec. 20, 8 P. M. Interment Forest Hill Cemetery, Canton, Mass. Boston papers please copy.

HANLY—Mary Gabrielle, suddenly, Dec. 15, 1923, at Nyack, N. Y. Requiem mass Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 9:30 A. M., at St. Ann's Church, Nyack, N. Y.

HARDY—On Dec. 18, Helen Staley, beloved wife of the late Charles Francis Hardy, at her residence, 170 West 102d St., New York City. Notice of funeral later. Boston and Philadelphia papers please copy.

HAUCK—On Monday, Dec. 17, 1923, Mary F., beloved wife of the late Peter Hauck, at Harrison, N. J., and beloved mother of Mrs. M. T. Barrett and Mrs. Bradford Merrill. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the solemn high mass of requiem at the Holy Cross Church, Harrison, N. J., on Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 10 A. M. Interment in the Cemetery of the Holy Sepulchre.

HENDRICKS—Louis (actor), on Dec. 18, husband of Geraldine De Rohan and brother of Ben Hendricks (actor). Funeral at St. Malachy's Church, 49th St., west of Broadway, Thursday, Dec. 20, at 11 A. M.

HENDRICKS—We announce with great sorrow the loss of our beloved fellow member, Louis Hendricks, who died on Dec. 18, 1923. Funeral services at St. Malachy's Church, West 49th St., Thursday, 11 A. M.

THE LAMBS.
A. O. BROWN, Shepherd.
GENE BUCK, Cor. Secretary.

HOBBS—Suddenly, Alice Emily, beloved daughter of the late Thomas and Emily Luckey Hobbs and sister of Mrs. Louis Buhle. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

HODNETT—Richard, of Sydney, Australia, at Long Branch, Dec. 17. Services Church Star of the Sea, Thursday, 8:30.

HUNT—Suddenly on Monday, Dec. 17, Ethelind, wife of Charles Carroll Hunt of this city. Funeral private.

JASKOW—Hattie. On Dec. 17, 1923, beloved sister of Samuel, Henrietta, Louis and Rose Hauser and Florence Sternfeld. Funeral from 854 St. Nicholas Av., Wednesday at 10 A. M.

JASKOW—Officers and members of the Jewish Temporary Shelter for Friendless Children, Inc., are requested to attend the funeral of our deceased member and co-worker, Hattie Jaskow, from her late residence, 854 St. Nicholas Av., Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of
MILLIE G. JACOBUS, President.

JOSEPH—Emanuel Lodge No. 208, I. O. O. F., announces with sorrow the death of Brother Abraham Joseph. Funeral from his late residence, 216 East Broadway, Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 2 P. M. Brothers are requested to attend.

IRVING H. PERLMAN, Noble Grand.

KEARSING—On Monday, Dec. 17, 1923, Grace Weeden, wife of Edwin M. Kearsing, at Auburn, N. Y. Funeral service at Greenwood Chapel on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 2:30 P. M. Entrance at 25th St.

KEEN—On Monday, Dec. 17, 1923, George W. Keen of 417 West 120th St., aged 87 years. Funeral service at Lyon Funeral Parlors, 60 East 125th St., on Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Zanesville (Ohio) papers please copy.

KELLY—On Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1923, Susan L., beloved wife of James A. Kelly and daughter of the late Charles and Sophia Leicht. Funeral services in W. J. Matthews's funeral parlor, 233 Lenox Av., between 121st and 122d Sts., Thursday morning, Dec. 20, at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

KENNEDY—On Dec. 17, Lucy (nee Brehm), beloved wife of Edward L. and daughter of Mrs. Joanna Brehm. Funeral from late residence, 2,539 Linden St., Ridgewood, Brooklyn, on Thursday. Solemn mass of requiem at Church of the Miraculous Medal, at 9:30 A. M.

KLEMM—Otto H., on Dec. 18. Services Campbell Funeral Church, Broadway at 66th St., on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 2 P. M.

KNUBEL—Christine Ritscher, beloved wife of Rev. F. H. Knubel, on Dec. 16, 1923. Services at Lutheran Church of the Atonement, Edgecombe Av., and West 140th St., Wednesday afternoon, 1 o'clock.

KOHNS—Marta, beloved wife of I. D. Kohns and mother of Herbert L. Kohns, Dec. 18, 1923.

LE COMTE—On Monday, 17th inst., Frances Mary (Buntie), wife of Richard B. Le Comte and dearly loved daughter of George W. Wood. Funeral from Suarez's Parlors, 19 Bergenline Av., Union Hill, N. J., Thursday, Dec. 20, at 2 P. M.

LICHTENSTEIN—Caroline, dearly beloved wife of David and devoted mother of Dorothy, Ceal, Anna, Emanuel, and grandmother of Sanford Schweitzer. Funeral services at 69 Millbrook Av., at Semi Funeral Parlors, 1,460 Lexington Av., Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 12 o'clock noon. Kindly omit flowers.

LYMAN—On Tuesday, Dec. 18, Alice Smith, beloved wife of James Walter Lyman, M. D. Funeral service at her late residence, 423 West 145th St., on Thursday evening, Dec. 20, at 8:30 o'clock.

LYMAN—The Washington Heights Chapter, Daughters American Revolution, announces with deep regret the death of a beloved member, Mrs. James W. Lyman, on Dec. 18, 1923.

MRS. SAMUEL J. KRAMER, Regent.
MRS. GEORGE C. STODDARD,
Corresponding Secretary.

LYNCH—On Dec. 18, Thomas F., sergeant New York Police Department, beloved husband of Mary Lynch (nee Scudale), father of Thomas F. Jr. and Mae E. Lynch. Funeral from his late residence, 59 West 124th St. Time later.

McCARTHY—Francis, on Dec. 17, at Park Avenue Hotel, aged 64 years. Funeral from Brady & McCormack Parlors, 419 Lexington Av., on Wednesday, 2:30 P. M. Mass of requiem at St. Stephen's Church, 10 A. M. Interment Calvary. Auto cortege.

McCOY—Walter H., on Dec. 16, 1923, at Stamford, Conn., aged 52. Interment Willimantic, Conn.

McLAIN—Weston F., Dec. 17, at home of his sisters, 13,816 Hillside Av., Richmond Hill, L. I. Notice of funeral hereafter.

MacDONALD—Harriet A. Campbell Funeral Church, B'way-66th St., Wednesday 2 P. M.

MARTIN—Mrs. Mary B., wife of the late James H. and mother of the late Edward Martin, Company L, 369th, 93d, Monday, Dec. 17, at her residence, 104 West 96th St. Services at Holy Name Church, Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 9 A. M.

MARUSHITA—Shoujiro. Campbell Funeral Church, B'way-66th St., Thursday 2 P. M.

MAY—Nellie J., on Dec. 17, after a brief illness. Funeral services Campbell Funeral Church, Thursday.

NEVIN—On Monday, Dec. 17, John J. Nevin, beloved husband of Katherine Nevin (nee Walsh). Relatives and friends, also St. Aloysius Holy Name Society and Jersey City Lodge 211, B. P. O. E., are invited to attend the funeral from late residence, 237 Clinton Av., Jersey City, on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 9 A. M. Solemn high mass of requiem will be offered at St. Aloysius R. C. Church at 10 A. M. Interment Holy Name Cemetery. Auto cortege.

OSMUN—Suddenly, at Madison, N. J., Dec. 18, 1923, Elvah Wood, husband of Hanora C. Osmun. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 61 Madison Av., Madison, N. J., on Thursday, Dec. 20, at 3 P. M., on arrival of Lackawanna Railroad train leaving Hoboken at 1:56 P. M. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark, N. J.

PAR—After a short illness, in California, Leopold Par, beloved

LOST AND FOUND

Advertisements for tomorrow received until midnight. Bryant 1000.

LOST.

BAG—Brown velvet, containing gold watch and purse, left in taxicab Monday afternoon. Suitable reward for return to N. L. Ready, 500 Madison Av.

BAG—Brown, containing cash, jewelry, etc. Liberal reward for keys. Henry 0444. Michaelis.

CASE lost, containing legal papers; of value except to owner; marked Dallas Townsend. Finder kindly return, 59 Wall St.; reward.

CASE OF KEYS in leather case lost. Return to St. A. Clarke, 15 Union Square; reward.

CANE, squirt, Sunday, train arriving Grand Central 9:31; reward. Bramwell, Rector 1000.

CERTIFICATE NO. P 33640, issued Feb. 15, 1920, for 25 shares of the common stock of The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company in the name of John Arata Sr.; transfer has been stopped. Henry S. Kirkbride, 1,420 South Penn Square, Philadelphia, Pa.

CHASE, remodeled, gray-blue; please return. Bronx, 911 Simpson St., Bronx.

EYEGLASSES—Monday, probably 8th Av. elevated; reward. W 8?f Times.

GOLD BAR PLATE, four tooth, lost Sunday evening about 6, around 34th, east of Broadway, or up to 75th St.; reward. Dr. Riesel, 132 West 72d. Endicott 9350.

KEYS, Wall St., Friday evening, Dec. 14. Phone Hanover 9200; reward.

PURSE, lady's, on Tuesday afternoon, between 1:20 and 2 P. M., in Jerome section; contents, watch, silver pen, silver vanity case, money, check; reward. Phone Bingham 3600.

PURSE—In Pennant taxicab, Dec. 14, lady's black silk purse, containing money, trinkets; reward, no questions asked. W. E. Beeban, 888 West 87th.

SATCHEL BAG, Monday night, 179th St., St. Nicholas, New York University; reward. Keen, Room 1910, 198 Broadway.

TRAVELING BAG, Saturday evening, taxi, between Marguery Restaurant and Trocadero; $50. W. E. Usher, Room 436, Singer Building, Cortlandt 4294.

TRAVELING BAG, large brown leather, containing wearing apparel, lost Friday 6 P. M., lobby Pennsylvania Hotel; reward. Ashland 1938.

LOST—Southern Pacific Company Stock Certificate No. C-107673 for ten (10) shares, in the name of Thomas F. Burns. Notice is hereby given to show cause to said company, 165 Broadway, New York, why a duplicate should not be issued. T. F. Burns, 302 Hartford St., Lowell, Mass.

$150 REWARD

for information leading to the recovery, in reasonably good condition, of new Cadillac Victoria, motor No. 812 8854; upper panels black, lower panels Cadillac blue. Phone Mr. Judd, Bowling Green 2500.

$75 REWARD

for return of lady's shell comb with platinum and diamond setting, lost Dec. 13, between 86th and 72d Sts., or in taxicab. Albert R. Lee & Co., Inc., 15 William St. Broad 2764.

Jewelry.

BRACELET—Lost in a taxi last Friday evening, about 6 P. M., a bracelet of small pearls and gold beads; reward. Barbour, 27 West 67th. Tel. 1126 Columbus.

BRACELET—Platinum, set with diamonds, Waldorf-Astoria Hotel corridor, Liberal reward; return Lost Article Dept., Waldorf-Astoria, 34th and 5th Av.

BROOCH—Diamond, Friday, 155 diamonds, 1 solitaire; reward. Cashier, St. George Hotel, Brooklyn.

CHAIN lost, Friday, Dec. 14, antique gold and jade chain; reward offered. Communicate with Apt. 3D, 171 West 12th St.

CUFF BUTTON, sapphire setting; liberal reward. R. L. Graycroft, 42 Broadway, Room 1000.

DIAMOND RING—Ornate, 2 medium-sized diamonds joined by scroll many small diamonds; Sunday afternoon, Central Park, Metropolitan Museum of Art, or West 59th St.; liberal reward. B. F. L., 606 West 122d, Apt. 4H.

EARRING, diamond and pearl drop; lost between 42d and 57th Sts. on 6th Av.; return to cashier Plaza Hotel; reward.

ECONSTONE (unset)—Engraved with child portrait, Tuesday, 5th Av., 57th to 46th St.; reward. B. Benton, 12 West 40th.

EARLS—Lost, small string irregular pearls; reward. Duce, Whitehall 1960.

PIN—Gold horse design, pearl band; reward. Phone Pelham 1733.

PURSE—Lady's small gold cloth, containing diamond solitaire set in platinum, gent's diamond ring, gold and black enamel setting, diamond and sapphire barpin; liberal reward. C. Bleg, 429 West 164th.

RING—Lost, lady's solitaire diamond ring, six small stones in platinum setting, Broadway, near 110th, Friday or Saturday; liberal reward. Apt. 3E, 309 West 109th.

RING—Centre setting, lady's diamond engagement; liberal reward. Meyer, Butterfield 6800.

RING lost; jade set with platinum and small diamonds. Reward if returned to the Home Pattern Co., 18 East 18th St.

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VANITY BOX, gold, about 3x2 inches, flat, chased French design, set with diamonds, inscription; probably lost theatre or taxi; suitable reward. Ullman, 471 Park Av. Plaza 8085.

VANITY CASE, gold, Sunday, Capitol Theatre or on way to Plaza Hotel; $50 reward for return. Theo Offerman, 586 Lexington Av.

$75 REWARD.

Bar pin, platinum, diamonds, onyx, lost Thursday, between 52d and 79th Sts., on Park Av. Fred P. Deisler, 15 William St., Broad 5000.

$500 REWARD

for return of pearl necklace containing 78 pearls, lost on the evening of Dec. 3. Raymond C. Yard, 527 5th Av. Vanderbilt 8134.

Wearing Apparel.

MINK SCARF, lost 96th St., between West End Av. and Broadway; reward. Tirrell, 765 West End Av., Apt. 92.

Cats, Dogs and Birds.

AIREDALE, young male, Dec. 13, brown leg, black back, red collar, no name; liberal reward. E. Sheehan, 121 West 49th St. Bryant 8300.

DOG, chow, full grown, red; liberal reward. 126 East 54th. Plaza 8166.

SCOTCH TERRIER, black, gray on tail; female; reward. 206 East 69th.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

GEORGE AND DOUGLAS WHITE, residing in Cannavieiras, State of Bahia, Brazil, S. A., are seeking information as to the whereabouts of their family relations now living in either Texas or New York. Family originally from Texas.

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The community trust as a way to combat the waste growing out of inflexible provisions in wills, in which the testator has established an endowment for public or philanthropic purposes, was described as "the most important single contribution to our generation in the art of wise giving" at a luncheon yesterday in the Lawyers Club, 115 Broadway. Nearly two hundred leading bankers, lawyers and business men heard former Secretary of War Newton D. Baker, who is now a banker, and Leonard B. Ayres, Vice President of the Cleveland Trust Company, recount the successful results of a community trust as established in Cleveland by the late Frederick Goff.

Alvin W. Krech, Chairman of the board of the Equitable Trust Company, presided, and former Ambassador John W. Davis introduced the speakers. Mr. Ayres explained that the community trust was formed so that the money left in wills would be administered for the well-being of the people.

He recalled examples of misdirected benefactions, such as an endowment in perpetuity established in 1851 by Mayor Mullanphy of St. Louis to aid prospective Western settlers who might meet with reverses while passing through that city. The possible beneficiaries of the fund long since disappeared, while the fund grew to $1,000,000 with no way under the terms of the will to dispose of it, he said. Ex-Secretary Baker said the community trust was an attempt to substitute contemporary wisdom for foresight. Greater benefits to mankind could be accomplished by bequeathing money to the New York Community Trust, he said, than by establishing endowments which might be restricted by the terms of a will.

Among those at the luncheon were Paul M. Warburg, George Gordon Battle, William J. Schieffelin, John G. Agar, Mrs. August Belmont, ex-Judge E. Henry Lacombe, Morgan J. O'Brien, John D. Ryan, Darwin R. James, Nathan S. Jonas, Major General J. G. Harbord, William M. Chadbourne, William Hamlin Childs and Professor Edwin R. Seligman.

Judgment Against Mrs. Sheehan.

A judgment for $19,430 was filed in the Supreme Court yesterday against Mrs. Minnie Sheehan, widow of John C. Sheehan, one-time Tammany leader, by the law firm of Herrick, Carney & Sloane for legal services performed by former Judge D-Cady Herrick of the Court of Appeals. The suit was for $8,000 for services by Judge Herrick in behalf of Mrs. Sheehan as executrix of her husband's estate, and $7,000 for services to her individually, with $4,430 interest since 1921. Mrs. Sheehan did not defend the case.

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$75,000 MORE IS NEEDED

Shadow Lifted From Many Homes and With a Little More Help All Will Be Safe.

Contributions of $16,367.43, next to the largest amount ever contributed in a single day in the eleven years of relief for the Neediest Cases, came yesterday. This sum made the total $85,246.62. Yesterday's donors numbered 862, making a total of 4,325 subscribers to this year's fund so far.

About $75,000 more is needed to make the response this year equal to that of a year ago. More than 200 needy cases were provided for in 1922, and indications are that the help this year, if maintained at yesterday's pace, will be fully as generous.

Fifty-one gifts in memory of some dear one were received yesterday, making 257 contributions so far sent in the name of the dead to aid the living. The day's largest donation, a check for $1,950, sent by J. F. Flannery of Philadelphia, was forwarded "in memory of my beloved father." Each year the tender practice of making the fund a memorial to one who has passed on his shown a steady increase.

Subscriptions were received ranging from Mr. Flannery's check down to $1 sent by a workingman and his wife. There came a two-dollar note with the simple message, "With gratitude from one who has been helped." This contributer, once among the Neediest himself, but now back on his feet sent his gift to Case 100—"Sews for Seven."

Enlisting in the cause, too, was Leo Powers, whose address is "United States Veterans' Hospital No. 41, New Haven, Conn." Many of the letters were written by hands growing too old to guide the pen, while others came in the sprawling penmanship of very young children.

Help for Nine Cases.

Disclosing that he had gone carefully over the cases and selecting those that appealed most to him, Mr. Flannery chose a plain white index card to instruct as to distribution. He wrote:

"THE NEW YORK TIMES,
"Hundred Neediest Cases.

"Enclosed please find $400 for Case 32, $400 for Case 70, $250 for Case 23, $250 for Case 34, $100 for Case 11, $100 for Case 16, $100 for Case 29, $250 for Case 31, $100 for Case 68. This is a sum total of $1,950. Please, in God's name, distribute this as I have noted. Thank you. In memory of my beloved father."

Other large gifts were two of $500, given anonymously, and two gifts of $200 each by Lloyd W. Seaman. Mrs. Charles Blount telephoned to ascertain the amount needed to take care of the needs of Case 83. This was the story of a father who died on Thanksgiving Day, adding a greater burden to his poverty-stricken family. Upon receiving the information Mrs. Blount sent a messenger with a check for $490. Mrs. Henry B. Wilson contributed $300.

An interesting letter received yesterday, was this:

"Dr. P. T. Leyendecker,
"312 East Eighty-seventh Street,
"Dec. 17, 1923.

"New York Times,
"Hundred Neediest Cases.

"Dear Sirs: Rosemary Magee, the second daughter of Assistant District Attorney James Magee, was christened yesterday. As I could not attend the christening party, I decided, with the consent of the parents, to send the amount which I would have otherwise spent for a christening present to the Hundred Neediest Cases Fund.

"Please credit Rosemary Magee with the enclosed amount of $10. She is probably the youngest contributor toward your very praiseworthy charity.

"Yours truly,
Dr. P. T. LEYENDECKER."

More Group Collections.

Collections made among employes of Cooper, Kerr & Dunham, attorneys, 55 Liberty Street, and a fund raised by the staff of the C. R. C. Law List Company, 50 Church Street, helped the cause. Subscriptions also were sent in by the Girls' Saturday Afternoon Bridge Club, the Saturday Evening Bridge Club and the Girls' Friday Afternoon Bridge Club.

As the response grows greater, hundreds upon hundreds of letters with eloquent passages in them, sentences that are written from the heart, are coming in. Excerpts from a few of them follow:

Richard Whitney, East Orange—Enclosed please find a money order for $1 for Case 90. I am sorry we are only working people, and wish I could help more! With all good wishes for your kind work.

Manchester, N. H.—Baby Emily Joy Shoul, 10 months, wishes to add her mite and hopes to be able to increase it yearly.

Mrs. Q.—For Case 3, and, if that is filled, it is for some other old man or woman. In memory of an old man who has gone before his birthday, on the 19th. Hope you will be as successful this year as last.

Mrs. George Tebbutt—It is only a mite, in fact only a drop in the bucket, but small as it is it will help some poor soul, and when I sit down to my Christmas dinner I know I shall enjoy it more knowing I helped just a little.

Elizabeth Guggenheimer—I am a little girl of 9 and I would like you to give the enclosed money to little Ella in Case 2. If it would not be too much trouble I would like to know how Ella gets along during the Winter.

Old Widow—Will you please use the enclosed $1 for Case 23? Old age and no money is dreadful. I wish I could send more.

Dear Times—Will you please give this money to Case 2? From my brother and me, Laird and Ted Van Winkle.

Mr. A. N. M.—Just for the sake of Him for whom we celebrate the Birth I send this small contribution.

The Rev. Dwight W. Wylie—My little daughter, Virginia Grace Wylie, sends this for the neediest.

Send Sympathetic Messages.

"Unknown"—Meekly I send you $1 for Case 31. I am nearly ashamed to send so little, but it is better than nothing. I hope they find friends who can do better than I. A merry Christmas and a happy New Year to them all!

John H. C. Gregg—Junior and Elizabeth want to help the little girl in Case 2 toward a brighter future. In case Ella's needs are provided for, you may apply the amount to any other cases, as it is a hard matter to choose between them—they all need a helping hand.

Compassionate Friend—I am not in a position to judge which of the cases is the most appealing, since I must admit being familiar with but a few of them—reading them unfits me for my daily duties and gives no substantial assistance.

Martha C. Squires—From Christy, aged 5 months, to be used where most needed.

Mrs. M. C. R.—Enclosed please find check for $25 to go to Cases 17 and 26 from my two fortunate babies to other babies less so.

F. P. Mansbendel—Enclosed please find our contribution to your fund, as follows: $10 to Case 64, an engineer in want, from a brother engineer; $5 to Case 5, to three widowed sisters, from my sympathizing wife, and $5 to the case which so far has not received all the aid heeded. I consider it an honor and a privilege to contribute to the fund.

Ida Clyde Clarke, associate editor of The Pictorial Review, forwarded a check for $15 sent to her by Mrs. Katherine B. Patterson of Valley Ranch, N. M. Mrs. Patterson was touched by a story written by Miss Clarke and sent the check to her.

Other messages from contributors follow:

Gertrude G. Grigg—Hoping and believing that you will receive more than enough for the Hundred Neediest, I want this trifle to go to some one just over the edge.

Mary Sendbach—I cannot refrain from sending another contribution. It is but a widow's mite, but every little helps. Please give it to Case 22.

Dorothea Bolton, Baltimore—Each year I am hoping to be able to send you more, but selling books doesn't make me rich. I would like very much to put one-half of my small donation toward Case 55 and the other half to Case 10. It is in memory of some one. Would it ever be possible to keep track of any cases? "The endings?" One might be able to do more at odd times during the year on one's own cases, in this way. I can thank you for affording the opportunity to workers away from home to do their little bit.

L. T.—The writer is far from the "Hundred Richest," or his check would be larger.

M. E.—My boys, Manfred and Leonard Behrens, ask me again to send the enclosed ten-dollar check, so kindly credit it in their names.

Mount Vernon—My check is in memory of my parents. Case 62 has not been fully provided for, I should like this contribution to help there, as my father and mother, too, cared for a family of grandchildren, who affectionately revere their memory.

E. S. S.—Kindly apply this check to Case 46, with the hope of happiness and comfort and supply unfailing for the dear old couple who love each other so much that they cannot be parted.

Not keeping pace with their neighbors in the Hundred, are:

CASE 3.

Ebb Tide for a Sailor.

Jim Morris might have slipped from the pages of Conrad. Vigorous, brave and wholesome, he followed the sea for many years. As an able seaman on a sailing ship he saw the sun dip down beyond the faraway parts of the world, and the storm spray of many waters beat ruddiness into his jovial face. Lustiest of all in the chanteys when the anchor came aboard was Jim—happy-go-lucky in the noontide of his strength. Now, at 75, he finds himself becalmed. He is too feeble to seek a new berth. Jim's tide is going out and running fast, but he will not let himself be grounded. Often in the hours when Jim is spinning yarns of the places he has seen and the things he has done, he will pause—as if he saw a shadow stealing over a sun-bright patch of sea—and swear that he will never give up his freedom and his liberty. He wants to remain in the quiet harbor of his choice, but he cannot unless aid is given.

Amount needed, $500.

Case reported by the Catholic Charities, 480 Lexington Avenue. (Telephone Vanderbilt 3420.)

CASE 61.

Will Santa Forget Again?

There are twin shadows this holiday season over the S. family. One rests on the parents, who know there may be no money even for food, shelter and clothing during the coming year. The second hangs over the children, Julia, 10; Katie, 9; Nicholas, 7, and Helen, 6. They are worrying lest Santa Claus may be busy again this year. Last December, right up to Christmas morning, it looked as if he would leave no end of presents for the children. True, their father was ill in a hospital, but all arrangements had been made with the old gentleman from the North—Julia had actually seen mother take the letter out to post it. Then came the morning of empty stockings, and mother said she guessed that Santa had been "too busy to come." The children know that father is back home now, but he is very ill and his foot may have to be amputated. Of course, Santa Claus might come anyhow—father seems to think he will. But maybe, after all, he will go whissing back North without stopping. If he passes them by—but why should he be allowed to?

Amount needed $484.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 83.

Missing for Five Years.

Susan Ellis works with a total disregard for hours and herself. She is deaf and so is unable to earn what a woman of her industrious habits should command. She is responsible for her own support and that of an only child, Stephen, who is 6 years old. The child's father has not been heard from in more than five years. Stephen has won the hearts of the family with whom his mother boards him, but after his meals have been paid his mother has only $5 a month left to support herself. Mrs. Ellis has never sought to shift the burden of Stephen's support, but she is getting on in years, and she worries when she looks into the future. Both need clothing, and the mother, although she does not speak about it, plainly needs more food.

Amount needed, $300.

Case reported by State Charities Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 1454.)

Direct gifts have been few for Cases 74, 20 and 77. They are:

CASE 74.

Harry and Lucy Left to Drift.

Harry and his sister Lucy know that Christmas is just around the corner, but they are not looking forward to it. This festival season has no joyous memories for them, and they feel that the fact of Harry's being 6 in Christmas week and Lucy's reaching the seventh milestone at New Year's will not mean much. Sister and brother cling to each other, because they have no one else. Distinct memories even in their young minds are the quarrels their parents used to have and the fact that they never had a real home, but were dragged around from one boarding house to another. Their father spent more time gambling than he did working, and their mother was discouraged by the constant struggle to keep the family together. Finally the parents disappeared and the children were left quite adrift. When they were found they were woefully thin, although organically sound. It developed that Harry and Lucy had not had enough to eat most of their lives. A fund is sought to give them a chance.

Amount needed, $600.

Case reported by the State Charities Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 1454.)

CASE 77.

Blind and the Father of Four.

James P., father of four children, had $50 left of the savings of years of hard work when he applied for aid. He had been blind since 1919. Before the accident that doomed him to the world of darkness he had been a capable mechanic, and his home was the home of a good provider. Savings had been put in the bank against the "rainy day," but the rain came too soon and lasted too long. The savings were used, the bank account was closed, and sad, anxious days succeeded the happier ones. The Association for the Blind gives the father work at the Lighthouse. He is learning to make brushes and mops, and is reported as "doing his best." His lack of skill keeps his wages down. Up to now his wife has given good care to the girls, 10 and 13 years old, and the boys, 8 and 12. Mounting cost of food has been topped by an increase in rent, and the earnings of the blind novice in the art of brushmaking must be supplemented.

Amount needed, $190.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

Those still in need of aid include:

CASE 91.

Deserted and Twice Widowed.

A villager in the Old World walked out of his cottage one day and did not come back. Months later word drifted to the village that he was in New York, thousands of miles away in a legendary land. His wife sold the cottage and followed him here with their four children. On her arrival she learned that he had been killed. She found that her old father was running a stand in a wholesale produce market. Eventually she married a man who became her father's partner. Soon after the marriage her husband's good nature and generosity were supplanted by wild temper and a miser's obsession. He was examined and found insane. He died a short time ago in a State hospital. The old father died a few weeks later. Mrs. M. found work in the market, but is under treatment for the effects of her experiences. Michael, 13, the oldest of the family, cannot hear well and is underdeveloped. The mother comes home spent and weary from the market every night, and there is no one to lend a hand. The home will go to pieces if help does not come.

Amount needed, $1,400.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

CASE 27.

Playmates for Sixty Years.

Sylvia and Julia, white-haired sisters, must start all over again. The fight for them will be harder than for those who have known poverty always, since they were once well to do. After sixty years of affluence their home was sold. The neighborhood of the house, once a fine one, tarnished and fell on evil days. The creeping hand of change lessened the value of other houses they owned. Bit by bit, misfortune nibbled away their resources. At last they moved out, taking a piano, some furniture and many of their treasured books. First the piano, then the furniture, and at last the books were sold for food. Both are weakened by age and trouble, but they still smile in their possession of each other—sisters, playmates and friends for sixty years. Yet, unless help comes, the smile will vanish.

Amount needed, $750.

Case reported by the Catholic Charities, 480 Lexington Avenue. (Telephone Vanderbilt 3420.)

CASE 29.

Six Close to Starvation.

The R.'s were on the verge of starvation when found. Mr. R., 56 years old, was becoming so weak that he would fall asleep over his work and be sent home by his employer. Mrs. R., a tired, middle-aged woman, with a deformed back and heart disease, was unable to go to work. Sylvia, 15, held on in high school, because poor health forbade her even the lightest sort of physical work. Now that they have been rescued, James, 13; Helen, 7, and Frank, 5, are in need of medical attention and extra nourishment. Mr. R.'s strength is gradually being built up and he is doing part-time work, but is not yet able to resume the full burden. Proper food is needed to restore the health of his family and guard them from disease.

Amount needed, $500.

Case reported by the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, 114 Fifth Avenue. (Telephone Watkins 7050).

CASE 96.

The Wintry Months Ahead.

Six months ago Peter S. went to the hospital to relieve his wife at home of the burden of caring for a very sick man along with her three children. He had been a good husband and father. Their three rooms still show that he was a bountiful provider when his health permitted him to follow his trade as a coppersmith. But illness overtook him and a serious operation deprived him of his strength. For a time it seemed as if he would die. Recent reports from the hospital indicate that he is likely to make a complete recovery, but that it will take time. Meanwhile Mrs. S. has arranged to sell her furniture, bit by bit, to get money to feed the pale youngsters. The rent of the three rooms is much higher than it used to be, and she has little left for food or coal. A fund is sought to maintain Philip, 8; Peter, 4, and Grace, 2—and their mother, of course—through the wintry months ahead.

Amount needed, $600.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 79.

Accident, Then Helplessness.

Weeks before the plight of the R. family was revealed there had not been sufficient food in the house. The father had been run over by an automobile and had return home helplessly weak. Mrs. R. was working on coats at home trying to make a little money. Josephine, the oldest of the family of four, had gone to work at 16. She was bringing in $10 a week, virtually the only income, and her health was delicate. The father was entitled to compensation for the accident, but complications caused many postponements of his claim, and even now the outcome is uncertain. The children are all in ill health from lack of nourishment, and Josephine is especially pathetic because she gives all she has to the struggle. Eventually it may be necessary for the father to return to the hospital, but his wife wants to keep him at home as long as she can. He has been a good father and before his accident always provided well for the family. The family needs help to build them up to health and strength.

Amount needed, $480.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

The New York Times made its first Christmas appeal for the Hundred Neediest Cases in 1912. So this is the twelfth year. The record of receipts in the eleven previous years follows:

1912	$3,630.88
1913	9,648.36
1914	15,032.46
1915	31,819.92
*1916	55,792.45
*1917	62,103.47
*1918	81,097.57
*1919	106,967.14
*1920	111,126.00
*1921	125,011.10
*1922	157,421.08

*200 cases each year since 1916.

No agents or solicitors are authorized to seek contributions for the Hundred Neediest Cases.

Checks should be made payable to the "Hundred Neediest Cases Fund." Contributions may be sent to THE NEW YORK TIMES, Times Square, New York City, or to any of the following organizations which present the cases:

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The six charity organizations which administer the Hundred Neediest Cases do so free of cost. There is no deduction of any kind, administrative or executive. Every dollar and every cent contributed goes to the Neediest.

France Honors Dr. Esther Lovejoy.

Dr. Esther Lovejoy, Chairman of the American Women's Hospitals and President of the Medical Women's International Association, was decorated with the Cross of the Legion of Honor at the French Consulate yesterday morning, for service to France during and after the war. Other honors conferred on Dr. Lovejoy include the Greek War Cross and the Gold Cross of St. George, Rank A.

What the Money Given for Case 32 Last Year Has Meant.

The Appeal.

Stephen is 5 and Kate is 4. When they were taken from their unspeakable surroundings to be reclothed they both struggled and Stephen shouted, "Don't take our clothes; they're all we got." They had to have their new clothes in their hands before they would part with their rags. They are promising in spite of a bad early start. The two always have been together, and nothing scares them so much as the idea that they may be taken away from each other. It is hoped that they will be kept together until a good foster home is found for both.

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Gifts for the Neediest Cases Yesterday Totaled $16,367; 862 Contributions Are Received in a Day; Fund Now $85,246

Contributions for the Neediest Cases yesterday amounted to $16,367.43, making a total of $85,246.62 received so far this year. Contributions were received as follows:

By The New York Times	$13,282.15
By the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor	1,287.50
By the Charity Organization Society	903.00
By the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities	488.95
By the State Charities Aid Association	210.22
By the Catholic Charities	112.11
By the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies	83.50
Total	$16,367.43
Previously acknowledged	68,879.19
Complete total	$85,246.62

Contributions received by The New York Times:

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A. E.	3
Abraham, L. B.	25
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Adams, Hall	100
A. D. S.	5
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A Friend	1
A Friend	100
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A Friend	10
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A Friend	10
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A Friend	5
A Friend	12
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A Seventy-sixer	25
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A. W.	5
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Baby Tom	2
Baggs, Martha	2
Ballin, Miss M. H.	10
Banet, Mrs. B.	10
Bass, Lockwood	5
Baxter, Mrs. G. W.	2
Bayliss, Margaret	2
Bearss, Mrs. G. F.	5
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Behrens, Manfred and Leonard	10
Beil, Anna	2
Bernheim, I.	25
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Brown, Helen M.	5
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Butler, Caroline A.	1
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C. C. C.	5
C. G., Mrs.	5
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In Memory of— H. E. Levy	5
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In Memory of— Katherine	5
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Leahy, Grace	3
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Lehman, Emile	10
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Lenherr, Fred J.	5
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$70,000 BAIL RAISED IN ROTHENBERG CASE

Mother and Aunt of Slain Boy Are Released After a Day in Troy.

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Attorney for Mrs. Litt's Husband Summoned to Catskill to Give Permanent Bond.

Special to The New York Times.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 18.—After being detained in this city for twenty-four hours under guard of Deputy Sheriffs, Mrs. Rose L. Rothenberg of Newark and her sister, Mrs. Esther Litt of Brooklyn, were released tonight in $35,000 temporary bail each by Supreme Court Justice Wesley O. Howard. Accompanied by Mrs. Rothenberg's attorney, Edward W. Lackey, they left at once for Tannersville. They will spend the night at his home and return tomorrow to their own homes.

Both women are under indictment in Greene County for murder in the first degree, charged with strangling Mrs. Rothenberg's 7-year-old son Howard at Windham, N. Y., on Aug. 29 last.

Five residents of the town of Hunter, in Greene County, and three friends of the Litt family in Brooklyn qualified as bondsmen in the aggregate sum of $228,000.

The two women left Greene County on Monday after they had been ordered by the Court to remain within the county limits until their bail bonds were posted. When they reached Troy they were arrested by order of Justice Howard.

District Attorney Coffin arrived here from Catskill late this afternoon and asked that the defendants be arrested on bench warrants and handed over to the Sheriff of Greene County. Justice Howard replied that the women had made strenuous efforts to obtain bail and that he was satisfied with the bondsmen offered. He advised the District Attorney to prosecute for perjury any bondsman who was found to have misrepresented his collateral.

The names of the bondsmen, together with the amounts each claimed to possess, are: Isaac Gordon, $70,000;; Louis Klein, $35,000; Louis Selinger, $30,000; Irving Harris, $35,000; Alexander Meisels, $40,000, all of Hunter, N. Y. The others are: Arthur Saerlip, brother-in-law of Mrs. Rothenberg and Mrs. Litt, $9,000; B. Franklin Moss, $4,500, and Mrs. Grace Moss, $4,500, all of Brooklyn.

David P. Siegel, an attorney, of 120 Broadway, New York, who was retained by the husband of Mrs. Litt, telephoned to Mr. Lackey late today saying that he had arranged for $70,000 bail for the two women. He was informed that the bail furnished tonight is only temporary and that it will be necessary for him to appear in Catskill tomorrow with permanent bonds.

PLOT AGAINST VON KAHR BY EHRHARDT FOILED

Bavarian Dictator Issues Warning After Several Conspirators Are Seized.

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MUNICH, Dec. 18.—A proclamation signed by the Bavarian dictator, Dr. von Kahr, General von Lossow, the Reichswehr commander, and Colonel Seisser, is published this afternoon, stating that evidence is available of an attempt by certain political parties to profit by the prevailing distress to attract recruits to their organizations.

People are therefore warned that any demonstrations will be immediately dispersed by the police and troops. If necessary the troops will not hesitate to shoot. The same warning applies to those who may be merely onlookers.

The proclamation concludes by stating that the orders issued by Dr. von Kahr after the Hitler putsch will be rigorously carried out and any resistance to the State authorities will be punishable by death or penal servitude.

There is obviously a connection between this proclamation and persistent reports which have been current during the last few days of an Ehrhardt putsch. The Nuremberg Morgenpresse states that details of a plot to overthrow von Kahr were discovered by the authorities and that the plot was frustrated by the arrest of several members of the Ehrhardt organization.

Dr. von Kahr has recently been subjected to a considerable amount of adverse criticism by the extreme Nationalists, and to this must be added the opposition of a large section of the Cabinet and Diet. The Chief of the Security Police has taken up his quarters in the same building as von Kahr's office in order to supervise more efficiently the squad of special detectives whose only task is to protect the Dictator.

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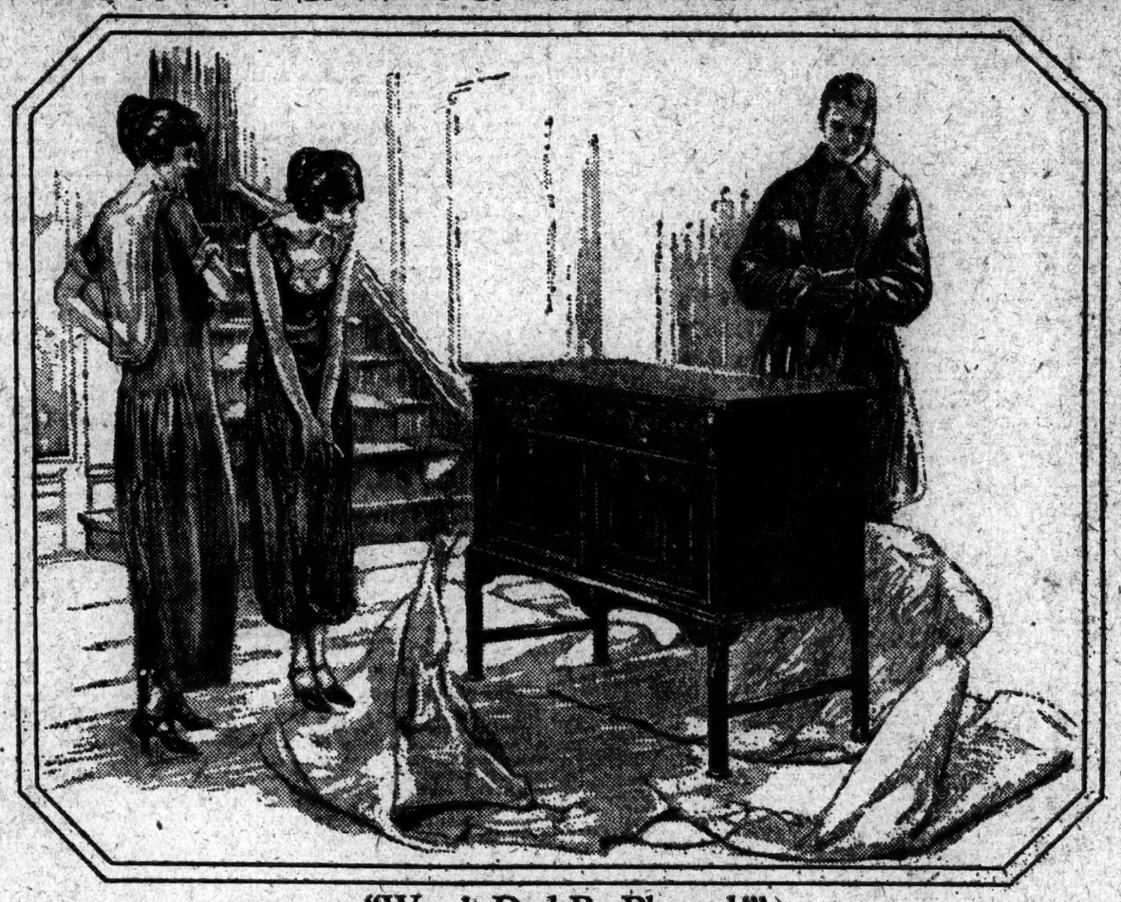

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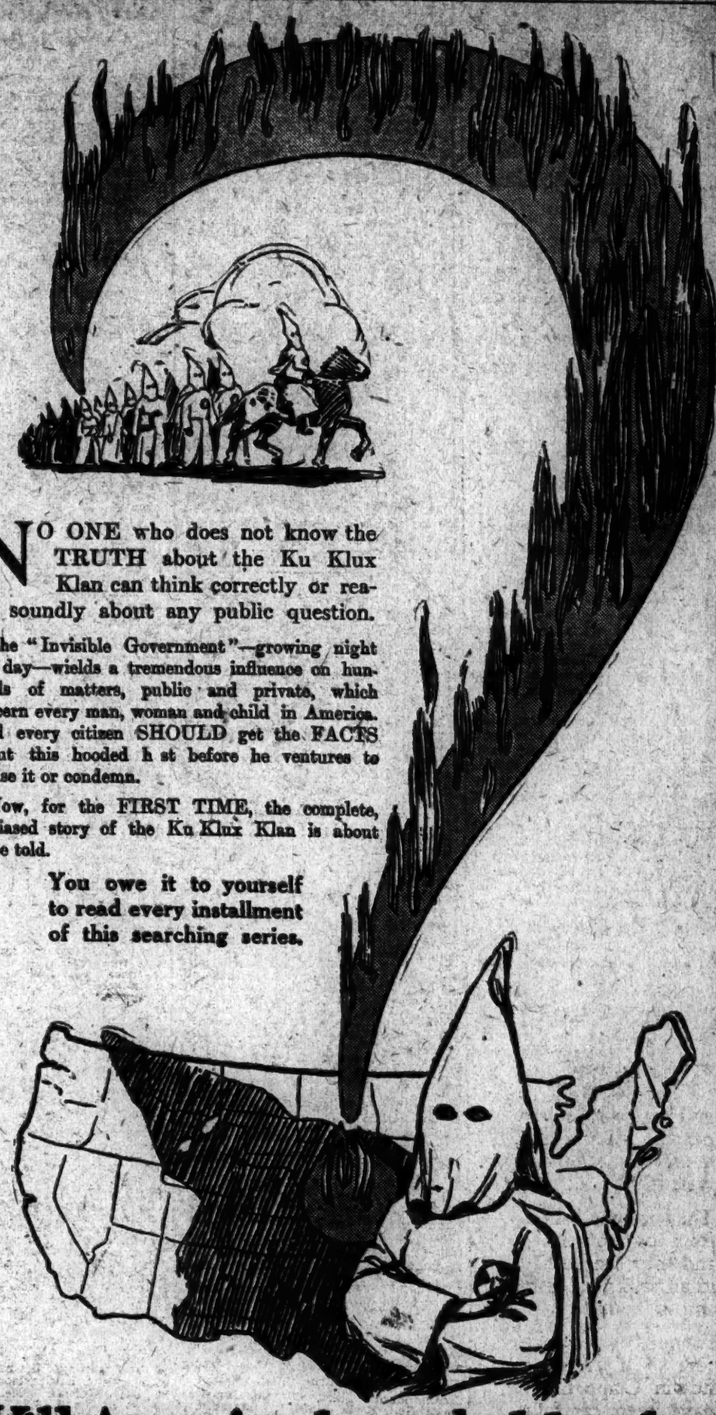

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SAILOR ATHLETES BATTLE AT GARDEN

Boxers and Wrestlers Settle Scouting Fleet Titles in Fast Bouts.

MICKEY GREY DETHRONED

Esposito Knocks Out Wyoming's Idol—Cacho Captures Flyweight Crown.

MANY NOTABLES ATTEND

W. K. Vanderbilt's Party Occupies Four Boxes—Admiral Coontz Enthusiastic—High Officials Present.

The Scouting Fleet of the United States Navy settled its boxing and wrestling titles in Madison Square Garden last night and is now ready to meet the Battle Fleet in the contests which will decide the champion athletes of the navy. Eight boxing and four wrestling championships of the Scouting Fleet were decided last night in a tournament which was as lively, interesting and hard fought as any ever held in the Garden. Only recently have the navy's athletic events been opened to the public, but the disappointingly small crowd of some 5,000 which saw last night's contests will attest that they are decidedly worth while from the standpoint of clean-cut, hard-fought competition. There was more action in some of last night's events than in many professional bouts where the participants received thousands of dollars for their efforts. The sailor boys were fighting for glory only, but they fought none the less valiantly because of that.

The crowd was not large, but it was select, the boxes being occupied by high ranking army and navy officials and persons prominent in business and society. Commander-In-Chief of the United States Fleet, Admiral R. E. Coontz, under whose patronage and supervision the bouts were held, was there to see the athletes cover themselves with glory. Although he could have no favorites among the contestants, the Admiral could and did applaud the good work of the athletes and that kept him busy throughout most of the evening.

Among others noted in the boxes were Admiral W. C. Cole, Vice Admiral N. A. McCully, Commander Scouting Fleet; Captain Ridley McLean, U. S. S. Arkansas; Mr. and Mrs. Porter Clyde Shannon, Captain George W. Lawes, U. S. S. Wyoming; Judge Frederick E. Crane, Robert E. MacAlarney, C. Walter Randall, Edward M. Townsend, Harold N. Whitehouse, Harry J. Luce, Kingdon Gould, Captain J. McEwan, coach of the United States Military Academy football team; Dr. A. L. Goodwin, Willis Putnam, Harry Fisher, John Meehan, George J. Gillespie Jr., William K. Vanderbilt and a party of twenty, occupying four boxes, Jay Gould and Henry Bishop.

The Patrons and Patronesses.

The patrons of the show included Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Vice Admiral N. A. McCully, Commander of the Scouting Fleet; Rear Admiral C. P. Plunkett, Commandant Third Naval District; Major Gen. R. L. Bullard, commanding Second Army Corps Area; Colonel Wade H. Hays, New York National Guard; Colonel Thomas Fairservis, New York National Guard; Commander Charles Boone; William K. Vanderbilt, Lieut. Commander New York Naval Reserve; Vincent Astor, Lieutenant Naval Reserve Force; Colonel Charles J. Dieges, Jay Gould, Senator Royal S. Copeland, Harry J. Luce, Adolph S. Ochs, George Barr Baker, Roland Harriman, Ralph Pulitzer, Frederick S. Osborn, William C. Breed, Welles Hawkes, M. F. Loughman, Lorenzo Semple, George L. Rickard.

The patronesses included the following:

Mrs. Julian Robbins, Mrs. Harry J. Luce, Mrs. Charles A. Childs, Mrs. Henry Alexander, Mrs. Edward Potter, Mrs. S. P. King, Mrs. Alexander Henderson, Mrs. Hamilton Bryan.

The committee in charge of the show was composed of Lieut. Commander R. K. Autrey, U. S. S. Hatfield; Lieutenant H. V. Bryan, U. S. S. Wyoming; Lieutenant R. A. Shotwell, U. S. S. Wyoming; Lieutenant (junior grade) A. J. Wellings, U. S. S. Arkansas; Lieutenant (junior grade) F. M. Maichle, U. S. S. Gilmore; Lieutenant (junior grade) R. F. Whitehead, U. S. S. Lawrence; Ensign R. H. Rodgers, U. S. S. Utah.

The participants in the bouts began competing for the honor to represent their ships in the finals as far back as last August. First they had to win the championship of their own vessels, then of their division of the fleet, then win the semi-finals before they got their chance in the Garden ring last night, and for the winners the long grind of careful living and training is not over, for they still have to keep in shape for the bouts against the champions of the Pacific Battle Fleet whom they will meet during the manoeuvres in southern waters early in the year.

Grey Loses Title.

The first knockout of the evening marked the passing of a champion when Mickey Grey, idol of the Wyoming and the featherweight king of the navy, was stopped by Nick Esposito of the U. S. S. Reid in the third round. Grey was a great favorite with the crowd and was outpointing his opponent when Esposito stepped in and caught him squarely on the chin with a right uppercut, which sent him down for the count and deprived him of his title.

The cheering part of the crowd, apparently formed chiefly of rooters for the Wyoming's athletes, was stunned by the dramatic ending of the contest and was quiet until after Grey had been carried to his corner, when it began to hoot and boo the winner for no reason at all except that he had dethroned an idol.

The final bout furnished a fitting and sensational climax to a fine show which was a credit to the Navy. Bob Grant of the Wyoming, champion heavyweight of the Navy, won by a judge's decision from Battling John Dunge of the Colorado, negro boxer who once fought a twenty-round bout with Bombardier Wells in London. Both were experienced and fairly capable, and the first three rounds were pretty even, with Grant worrying his heavier opponent some with straight left jabs to the face and body.

In the fourth round to cries of "Come on, Wyoming!" from the crowd, Grant did come on and had Dunge groggy and bleeding from the mouth before the session ended. The negro was punch drunk as he went to his corner and he was even worse at the end of the fifth, in which Grant drummed continually on his body and had him hanging on for dear life. The sixth and last round was a thriller, with Grant knocking Dunge down at the bell. He would never have got up unaided, but the knockdown came too late and Grant had to be satisfied with a decision.

Two little Brown boys who are ambitious for a chance at the world's fly-weight championship, now held by their fellow-countryman, Pancho Villa, opened the boxing part of the program with a speedy and slashing six-rounder in which the veteran José Javier of the Wyoming, twice winner of the All-Navy title and claimant of the Central and South American fly-weight championships, was beaten by a smiling little replica of Villa, young Denieo Caccho of the Mayflower, the President's yacht.

This result also was a decided upset, as Javier has been considered almost invincible in his class by followers of navy sports. He has been suffering from a severe cold for a week, however, and was unable to get going against the darting, dancing Denieo. Javier was in and out, punishing the champion almost at will with wicked right hooks and jabs. There was not enough force behind his blows to do more than slow up Javier, but they did that effectively, and, although he was fighting on grimly at the bell, the champion was clearly outpointed.

Charlie Hoffman, a New York boy and a former Army boxer who won sixty out of seventy bouts while serving with the Doughboys, knocked out Spottiswood Jackson Ferguson of the Mercy after a minute and a half of fighting in the fourth round in the middleweight class. Ferguson was game, but the veteran Army boxer was his superior at every department of the game and knocked him down twice, once for the count of nine, before he put over the finishing punch, a savage right uppercut.

It took an extra round to decide the bantamweight clash between Al Monge of the Wyoming and Kid Boutiste of the Overton. Both these also were Filipinos. Early in the bout, Boutiste opened up a bad cut over Monge's eye and then forced the fighting during the first three sessions, but when the flow of blood was finally stopped and he could see clearly again, Monge rallied gallantly and rushed his opponent around the ring peppering him with lefts and rights. His rallies were so savage that they put him back in the running again after he had seemed hopelessly beaten. When the vote of the four judges was taken it was found that they had disagreed and Referee Welsh ordered an extra round. Monge was the aggressor in the extra session and got the decision.

Przybiski Wins by Default.

The first event on the program, a lightweight wrestling bout, was won by R. Przybiski of the Wyoming when his opponent, J. H. Johnson of the Toucey, failed to appear. The Wyoming also scored a victory in the second wrestling bout. Mike Michaels, throwing P. F. Smitka of the Utah with a half nelson and armlock in four minutes.

The middleweight match was a stubbornly contested affair, in which Eddie Shaboo of the Florida got the referee's decision over Harry Estkian of the Utah.

The heavyweight event, star contest of the wrestling matches, proved an easy victory for the six-time fleet champion, "Tarsan" Knight of the Utah. Knight pinned the shoulders of George Gemas of the Lamson to the mat in three minutes with a half nelson and bodylock. P. M. Maichle, lieutenant (junior grade) of the U. S. S. Gilmor, refereed all the wrestling matches.

The summaries:

BOXING.

Flyweight Class—Young Denicio Caccho, U. S. S. Mayflower, defeated Jose Javier, U. S. S. Wyoming, six rounds, judges' decision.
Bantamweight Class—Al Monge, U. S. S. Wyoming, defeated Kid Boutiste, U. S. S. Overton, seven rounds, judges' decision.
Featherweight Class—Nick Esposito, U. S. S. Reid, knocked out Mickey Grey, U. S. S. Wyoming, in one minute thirty seconds of the third round.
Lightweight Class—Hummer Hummell, U. S. S. Wyoming, defeated A. G. Skinner, U. S. S. Wright, six rounds, judges' decision.
Welterweight Class—S. D. Vincent, U. S. S. Flusser, defeated R. Tastum, U. S. S. Seattle, six rounds, judges' decision.
Middleweight Class—Charlie Hoffman, U. S. S. Colorado, knocked out S. J. Ferguson, U. S. S. Mercy, one minute forty seconds of the fourth round.
Light-Heavyweight Class—J. Morano, U. S. S. Florida, defeated Al. Schechter, U. S. S. Rappahanock, six rounds, judges' decision.
Heavyweight Class—Bob Grant, U. S. S. Wyoming, defeated Battling Dunge, U. S. S. Colorado, six rounds, judges' decision.

WRESTLING.

Lightweight—R. Przybiski, U. S. S. Wyoming, won from J. K. Johnson, U. S. S. Toucey, by default.
Welterweight—D. R. Michaels, U. S. S. Wyoming, threw P. F. Smitka, U. S. S. Utah, with a half nelson and arm lock. Time—4:00.
Middleweight—Eddie Shaboo, U. S. S. Florida, defeated Harry Estkian, U. S. S. Utah, referee's decision. Time—15:00.
Heavyweight—"Tarzan" Knight, U. S. S. Utah, threw George Gemas, U. S. S. Lamson, with a half nelson and body lock. Time—3:00.

New Scouting Fleet Champions Crowned in Bouts at Garden

The boxing and wrestling champions of the scouting fleet who gained their new laurels at the Garden last night will battle fleet from the Pacific Coast fleet from the Atlantic when the two fleets meet for their annual manoeuvres early in the year. The bouts for the all-navy championships will be staged either in Cuba or the Panama Canal Zone between the titleholders from the two fleets.

The new champions of the scouting fleet follow:

Boxing.

Flyweight—Young Denicio Caccho, U. S. S. Mayflower.
Bantamweight—Al Monge, U. S. S. Wyoming.
Featherweight—Nick Esposito, U. S. S. Reid.
Lightweight—Hummer Hummell, U. S. S. Wyoming.
Welterweight—S. D. Vincent, U. S. S. Flusser.
Middleweight—Charlie Hoffman, U. S. S. Colorado.
Light-Heavyweight—J. Morano, U. S. S. Florida.
Heavyweight—Bob Grant, U. S. S. Wyoming.

Wrestling.

Lightweight—R. Przybiski, U. S. S. Wyoming.
Welterweight—D. R. Michaels, U. S. S. Wyoming.
Middleweight—Eddie Shaboo, U. S. S. Florida.
Heavyweight—"Tarzan" Knight, U. S. S. Utah.

OFFERS BOUT WITH FIRPO.

Buenos Aires Promoter Tenders Madden Chance for February.

José Tuere, Buenos Aires Sporting Association promoter, yesterday cabled an offer of $10,000 to Bartley Madden, west side heavyweight, for a bout against Luis Angel Firpo, to be held in Buenos Aires next February. Charlie Rose, manager of Madden, announced receipt of the cablegram.

At the same time Rose declared he would delay replying to the Argentine offer pending the outcome of his efforts to arrange a match for Madden against Harry Wills, New Orleans negro challenger for the title held by Jack Dempsey. Rose said he has petitioned the State Athletic Commission to sanction a bout between Madden and Wills if one is arranged. He added that he expects to be notified of the commission's attitude Friday. Promoter Tex Rickard announced his readiness to arrange a Madden-Wills bout for Madison Square Garden if the men can be brought together.

DEMPSEY GOES TO SUMMIT.

Champion Plans Indefinite Stay at Freddie Welsh's Jersey Farm.

Jack Dempsey departed yesterday, as per schedule, from his quarters at the Alamac Hotel and entered upon life at the health farm of Freddie Welsh near Summit, N. J. The world's heavyweight champion plans an indefinite stay at the New Jersey farm, according to his announcement before checking out at the Alamac. Before leaving the hotel Dempsey declared he might return to the city next Monday, but he refused to elaborate on this statement. Manager Jack Kearns declared that future developments would determine the length of time Dempsey would spend at the farm. Kearns added that he still is working on offers for the titleholder's appearance in vaudeville.

VICENTINI GOING HOME.

Chilean Lightweight Plans to Return This Week.

Luis Vicentini, Chilean lightweight champion, plans to return to his native land this week. Receipt of an urgent message from his family is said to prompt Vicentini's decision to leave this country before engaging in further matches. The Chilean intends to return to this country next year.

Fitzsimmons and O'Dowd Draw.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 18.—Young Bob Fitzsimmons and Dan O'Dowd went to a referee's draw after twelve slow rounds here tonight.

DECISION ON DUNDEE WAS NOT UNANIMOUS

Referee O'Sullivan Voted for Bernstein, but Judges Decided in Favor of Veteran.

BOARD SILENT ON MERITS

But Commission Is Considering Plans to Determine Competency of Officials.

While boxing followers generally were discussing the decision by which Johnny Dundee regained the 130-pound championship from Jack Bernstein in their bout last Monday night at Madison Square Garden, the only announcement made at the offices of the State Athletic Commission yesterday with reference to the bout concerned the details of the vote cast by Judges Tommy Murphy and E. G. Becker and Referee Jack O'Sullivan. This announcement showed that the two judges awarded the verdict to Dundee, O'Sullivan casting his ballot for Bernstein.

It was announced that the round-by-round tabulation of the bout by Becker disclosed a score of eight rounds for Dundee and seven for Bernstein. Murphy's round-by-round card had not been received at the commission offices at the time this announcement was made. O'Sullivan, as referee, is not required to tabulate the bout by rounds, being instructed only to write the name of the winner on his voting slip.

Although a majority disagreed with this verdict, the decision, it was said by Chairman William J. McCormack of the License Committee, must stand, in accordance with the commission's policy of upholding its licensed judges. Several members of the official body, however, were understood to be out of accord with the decision in Dundee's favor.

It is further understood that the commission is considering plans for entirely eliminating, or at least minimizing, the danger of dissatisfaction with decisions which, in the opinion of the sport-governing officials, are unwarranted and unjustified. The Dundee decision, Chairman McCormack of the License Committee said, will serve to give added impetus to the campaign of the boxing unions to determine the judges and referees best qualified from experience and intelligence to officiate in future bouts in this State.

Refuses to Discuss Verdict.

McCormack refused to discuss the merits of the decision, which came as such a surprise to the crowd at the Garden bout. From a source close to the commission, however, it was learned that the authorities discussed the decision from every angle in a two-hour session at which only members of the State Athletic Commission and the License Committee were present, all others having been excluded.

Beyond disclosing how the judges voted, no other official announcement was made at commission headquarters. Chairman McCormack, however, divulged that a plan was introduced at the bout by which it is hoped to determine competent judges and referees, and at the same time educate the bout officials in the method of arriving at a decision. McCormack asserted that six judges and four referees were summoned to the Garden on Monday night, under orders to report at the arena at 4:30 o'clock.

An hour before the first bout started the officials determined upon to act in the night's bouts were notified of their selection and the others were placed about the Garden to watch the bouts from different angles and sections of the arena, with instructions to render unofficial decisions on each bout. These decisions are to be used solely for the guidance of the commission in the campaign to produce bout officials competent to justify assignments at future bouts.

As a consequence every bout held in the Garden was being judged by eight bout officials, three of whom were acting in an official capacity. It is planned to continue this custom indefinitely until the boxing governing authorities have satisfied themselves on the competency of the judges and referees to whom licenses have been issued.

Result Kept Secret.

No information was forthcoming as to how the unofficial scorers on the junior lightweight title bout voted. The slips these officials returned to headquarters were guarded as strictly confidential. It is understood, however, that a majority differed with the decision which gave Dundee the honors of the bout and the title.

Promoter Tex Rickard did not conceal his dissatisfaction with the decision but refused to comment on the verdict. Asked if he intended arranging a return bout between Dundee and Bernstein, Rickard's reply was an emphatic "No."

Dundee and Bernstein met at the Garden yesterday when they appeared for their pay checks. Each boxer expressed the opinion that he had won. Dundee informed Bernstein that he would welcome a return bout with the Yonkers lad, to which Bernstein's laconic reply was: "Make it for next week and you're on."

MASCART IS WINNER OF EUROPEAN TITLE

Beats Hebrans on Points in Paris Bout and Gains Featherweight Championship.

PARIS, Dec. 18. (Associated Press).—Edouard Mascart, the French feather-weight fighter, tonight defeated Henri Hebrans of Belgium on points in a fifteen-round bout. By his victory Mascart stepped into the European feather-weight championship recently vacated by Eugene Criqui. His fight with the hardhitting Belgian Hebrans, although it did not end in a knockout, was, none the less, impressive.

The little Frenchman had the better of every round, forcing the battle throughout; but Hebrans showed wonderful ability to take punishment.

The best fight of the evening was between Paul Fritsch, of Antwerp, the Olympic lightweight champion, and Robert Sirvain, which ended in a draw after twelve terrific rounds. Both boys were on the verge of a knockout in the first round.

According to a recent ruling of the International Boxing Federation, Mascart was to receive the French and European featherweight championships held by Eugene Criqui in case he defeated Hebrans. The announcement was made after the federation had given consideration to a letter from Criqui's manager saying Criqui would be unable to meet Marcart and defend his title owing to injuries sustained some time ago in a bout with Hebrans. The letter was considered by the federation as a virtual abandonment by Criqui of his titles.

FACES FURTHER PENALTY.

Micky Walker May Have Suspension Extended in New Jersey.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 18.—State Boxing Commissioner Newton A. K. Bugbee today held a conference with Attorney General Thomas F. McCran, taking up the question of further penalizing Micky Walker of Elizabeth, world's champion welterweight boxer, who is alleged to have violated his six months' suspension in New Jersey by boxing with Tommy Stapleton at Paterson last Wednesday. Walker was suspended from boxing in New Jersey for six months three months ago for alleged "stalling" in a fight staged for the benefit of orphans. Jack Bulger, his manager, was suspended for a year.

Pennsylvania Boxing Body Suspends Mixed Bout Rule

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—The Pennsylvania State Athletic Commission, at the request of Attorney General Woodruff, tonight decided to suspend temporarily its ruling prohibiting mixed bouts until the Department of Justice has an opportunity to examine the legal phases of the matter. Attorney General Woodruff will meet the members of the commission within the next ten days, when all the legal angles of the controversy will be thoroughly discussed and clarified.

Tommy Ryan of Buffalo was suspended by the commission for thirty days, dating from Dec. 13, for alleged stalling in a boxing bout at McKeesport, Pa. His purse was forfeited.

BRITTON DEFEATS K. O. PHIL KAPLAN

Famous Welterweight Champion Gets Decision in Ten-Round Bout at the Pioneer.

Jack Britton, former world's welterweight champion, who admits to thirty-eight years and the available record books indicate that he has been active in the ring for nineteen years—or from 1904, still retains enough of his once great boxing form to beat some of the best welterweights of this day and time. Britton demonstrated this to the satisfaction of about 3,500 persons at the Pioneer A. C. last night. The crafty ex-champion engaged Knockout Phil Kaplan of Harlem in the feature bout of ten rounds at the East Twenty-fourth Street Club. When the final bell sounded the decision went to Britton, along with a demonstration which must have warmed the heart of the former champion.

Britton proved he was entitled to the decision. For six of the ten rounds he gave Kaplan a boxing lesson. The Harlem youngster, however, made a strong rally in the four closing sessions, when Britton slowed under the pace and his rival's infrequent body drives. Kaplan held Britton even in the seventh round, but in the eighth, ninth and tenth rounds he out-fought the champion. This closing rally was not great enough to overcome Britton's early lead.

Britton appeared fat about the shoulders and hips. Some of the springiness has gone from his legs and his blows do not hold the unerring accuracy they once did. The showing of the former champion, however, was a revelation. One round was the same as another through the first six sessions, in which Britton baffled his rival. He met Kaplan's furious rushes with well-directed left hooks to the body, face and head, completely upsetting Kaplan's attack at long range, and tying the Harlem youngster in knots at close quarters, where Britton dug a wicked left to the body at every opportunity. Kaplan never stopped coming, but he made the fatal mistake of trying to box Britton and lost.

In the seventh Kaplan threw caution to the winds and went out to slug his way to victory, but Britton was prepared and boxing cleverly held his rival even. In the eighth Britton showed signs of weakening and in the ninth and tenth rounds, when Kaplan swarmed all over the former champion seeking a knockout victory, The Harlem lad drove home many solid smashes with both hands to the body and head, but Britton survived the storm and held his lead.

Britton weighed 150 pounds and Kaplan 148¾ pounds.

In the semi-final bout of ten rounds Pete August, Bridgeport welterweight, after being floored twice in the first round for short counts, staged a remarkable recovery and carried off the decision over Eddie Fitzsimmons of Yorkville.

GENARO BEATS CLIFFORD.

Midget Smith Also Wins in Detroit, Outpointing Schwartz.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 18.—Frankie Genaro, American flyweight champion, defeated Joe Clifford of Philadelphia in a ten-round bout here tonight, in the opinion of newspaper men. Genaro weighed 110¾ pounds and Clifford 116½. On the same card Midget Smith of New York beat Joey Schwartz of Minneapolis in a ten-round bout.

Billiard Results.

In the play-off of the three-cornered tie of the three-cushion tournament at Doyle's Academy last night Victor Mangin defeated William Adams, 25 to 12, in thirty innings. Each had a high run of 4. Two games also were played in the annual English billiard tourney at Doyle's last night. Frank McGrail won the first, defeating Patriek O'Hare, 200 to 191, in thirty-two innings, making a high run of 26 to the other's 18. James McDonald won the other, beating Robert Hallahan, 200 to 158, in thirty-five innings. The winner's high run was 21, the loser's 19. In the snooker tournament at Doyle's, Louis Basso was the winner over George La Rue, 100 to 94. His high run was 20, to 28 for La Rue.

A three-cornered tie resulted in the New York State professional pocket billiard championship at Lawler Brothers' academy in Brooklyn last night, when Leo Sliver defeated Charles Harmon by the score of 100 to 26. Sliver played surprisingly good billiards, going out in eleven frames and making a high run of 29. Harmon's high run was 13. Sliver, Harmon and Peter Judice will meet in the play-off of the tie which begins tonight, when Harmon and Judice come together.

Two games were played in the national Class C 18.2 balkline championship at the Recreation Academy in Brooklyn last night. Charles P. Matthews defeated Joseph Honsch, 150 to 97, in 45 innings, making a high run of 13. Honsch's high run was 10. L. J. Steinbugler won from W. F. Reynolds, 150 to 136, in 54 innings. The winner's high run was 18, the loser's 16.

Oscar Schmied and Joseph Inness won the two games played in the three-cushion championship tournament at the Amateur Billiard Club last night. The former defeated D. B. Lowden 50 to 30 in 85 innings. Both made a high run of 3. Inness won from C. N. Maurier 60 to 36 in 95 innings. The high run of both men was 3.

Jean Bruno, 18.2 balkline champion of Austria, made a run of 290 against Edgar T. Appleby, the international champion, in a practice match at the Recreation Academy, Manhattan, yesterday. Bruno won the game by the score of 400 to 205, going out in ten innings. His high run was made in the second inning. Appleby made two runs of 45.

Harry Fisher defeated Larry Kornicker in the Class B three-cushion tournament at the Strand Academy last night. The score was 25 to 20. Fisher went out in ninety-seven innings. The high run of both men was 2. Edward Mayer was the winner over Tom Silling in the junior pocket billiard tournament, 60 to 43.

In the game played at Cranfield's 145th Street Academy in the New York State amateur three-cushion championship, Morgan Hughes was the winner over Clifford Bash by the score of 35 to 32. The game was decided in eighty-five innings. The winner's high run was 5, the loser's 3.

Harry Schuler won the only game played in the club handicap 18.2 balkline tournament at the Hoppe-Peterson Club for The James A. Thomas trophy last night, defeating F. S. Peyral, 400 to 94, in thirty-four innings. Schuler made a high run of 19, to 15 for his opponent.

In the New York State amateur three-cushion championship at Cranfield's 181st Street Academy last night Joseph Cosgrove defeated H. Van Tassel, 35 to 28, in fifty-six innings. Cosgrove made a high run of 4, Van Tassel one of 3.

HOPPE NOW LEADS COCHRAN, 1,000-436

Wins Second Block, 500-233, Averaging 95 2-5 for 477 Points in Last 5 Innings.

HAS RUNS OF 207 AND 162

Game Marked by Daring Safety Play in Early Stages—Champion Goes Out With Unfinished 53.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—Willie Hoppe mixed a dazzling display of 18.2 balkline billiards with some mediocre shot-making and safety play in tonight's 500-point block of his playoff of a tie for the world's championship with Welker Cochran, and for the two nights play tool: the commanding lead of 1,000 to 436. The score at the end of the first block was Hoppe 500, Cochran 203. The score for the second block was Hoppe, 500; Cochran, 233.

After a mediocre start in which he made only 23 points in seven trips to the table, Hoppe staged a remarkable finish, making 477 points in five innings for an average of 95 2-5. He had high runs of 207 and 162. Cochran's best efforts for the evening were high runs of 89 and 50. At one time during the night's play Cochran had cut Hoppe's 297-point lead, gained in last night's play, to 159 points. Hoppe's innings tonight showed one blank, three singles and three counts of two, but as the game wore on he put together runs of 162 and 207 by magic displays of open-table driving and close nursing and went out with an incomplete run of 53.

Cochran never could get started. Twice when he looked good he missed massé shots and had to sit down. His stroke seemed fine at the start, but faltered badly in his shot making.

With the balls in good position at the head of the table, Willie Hoppe began play in the second block. He got 5, which gave him a total of 64 for the inning, counting also the 59 he got last night when play closed as he reached 500. He missed a side rail time follow shot, the cue ball missing the red as it banked off the end rail.

Cochran's physical appearance was improved and he started out carefully shooting deliberately. Last night he played rapidly. He experienced some difficulty in getting the balls in position and his first nineteen shots were of the open table variety. He appeared in good stroke and his touch was confidently delicate as he neared fifty. His forty-eighth and forty-ninth shots were three-cushion, the first to gather after he had gotten the balls separated. He scored one more, making him even 50, but missed on the next also a three-cushion shot. He left Hoppe a puzzle from which Hoppe scored only two billiards.

Cochran Runs Only 2.

Hoppe left Cochran a difficult shot and Cochran could do no better than two for his seventh inning. Cochran played very carefully and a safety play left the balls in such a position that Hoppe gathered only two for his seventh inning. Cochran had better luck on his eighth inning at the tables. He soon counted 34, faltering on his thirty-fifth shot, which was a difficult three-cushion play.

Cochran left Hoppe in such a position that the champion was forced to resort to safety after making one. His safety was perfect and Cochran also played safe. Hoppe made one and missed a three-cushion effort. The balls still were lying badly and Cochran was unable to get them together, missing after two.

Hoppe made 1 off a safety play, and left Cochran in such a position that he missed. The score then was: Cochran, 291; Hoppe, 512.

Hoppe, not displaying near the form of last night, missed a two-cushion bank after 9, but played safe, and Cochran missed. Hoppe then took a turn at missing, and Cochran was applauded for his safety play. Cochran got 4 before he missed. Hoppe made 2 before spreading the balls.

Cochran got the balls together at the foot of the table, lost his nervousness caused by the exciting safety play, and set about his task of cutting the champion's lead. Close nursing, with an occasional around-the-table shot, enabled him to reach 60 and cut Hoppe's two nights' lead to 159.

Finds Conditions Good.

Hoppe on his tenth turn at the table tonight, his fourteenth inning of the game, found conditions to his liking and, dividing close nursing with driving open-table work, notched his first double figures of the night, 52, being stopped by a weak draw.

Cochran in his fifteenth inning got a 9, missing a massé after a promising start. He left the balls lying nicely for Hoppe, and the latter was off for the night's best run, 162. Hoppe's cue seemed to have recovered its wizardry, and the most difficult draws, drives, follows and banks looked easy. He finally missed on a two-cushion carom. The score at the end of the fifteenth inning was Cochran 373, Hoppe 737.

Cochran got 20 and missed a two-cushion carom off the white ball. Hoppe found the balls in poor position and missed after 3. He was playing good billiards, but was unable to negotiate counters when Cochran deliberately resorted to safety plays.

For the second time Cochran missed a massé after getting 13 in his twelfth turn at the table for the seventeenth inning. Hoppe got away for another long run, but got into an unplayable position when, on the thirty-fifth shot, his cue ball, against the head rail, was frozen to the red ball, further out. He called for a break shot, and, making it, continued to run, immediately gathering the balls for some more close nursing.

His control of the balls was nearly perfect and for 25 points at a time they were not moved six inches. He got 207 before missing a short one-cushion draw. Cochran got 30, missing a rail first bank, when his cue ball was frozen to the white ball. Hoppe reached 1,000 with an unfinished run of 53.

Hoppe left the balls in good position at the foot of the table for resumption of play of the final 500-point block tomorrow night.

The scores by innings for the two nights follows:

Cochran—5 2 33 74 89 50 2 34 0 2 0 0 4 69 9 20 12 20. Total, 436; high run, 89; average, 29 4-15.

Hoppe—156 84 46 211 *94, 2 2 1 1 1 9 0 2 53 162 3 207 †53. Total, 1,000; high run, 211; average, 55 10-13.

*Unfinished last night.
†Unfinished tonight.

BARRETT LOSES TO WHITE.

Swings So Hard He Strains Spine in Sixth Round.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—Charley White of Chicago won from Bobby Barrett, Clifton Heights, Pa., in the sixth round of their scheduled ten-round bout tonight on a technical knockout. In the sixth Barrett swung so hard that he strained his spine, resulting in temporary paralysis of his left side and forcing him to leave the ring.

AMATEURS TO BOX TONIGHT.

Met. A. A. U. Event Will Close at Garden Tomorrow Night.

The leading amateur boxers of the local district have entered for the Metropolitan A. A. U. tournament which will start tonight in Madison Square Garden and conclude tomorrow night. Bouts have been scheduled in seven classes. Preliminary contests will be held tonight and semi-finals and finals tomorrow night.

Wilson Knocks Out McCarthy.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—Johnny Wilson, former middleweight champion, scored a knockout over Pat McCarthy of Roxbury here tonight when the latter's seconds threw a towel in the ring after the third round of a scheduled ten-round bout. Wilson weighed 160 pounds and McCarthy 165.

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TO SHORTEN SEASON IN MAJOR LEAGUES

154-Game Schedule for 1924 Probably Will End Sept. 29 or 30, Heydler Announces.

DOUBLE HEADERS LISTED

Philadelphia and Boston Will Have at Least Three Twin Bills—Spring Dates for Robins.

The 1924 baseball season will be almost a week shorter than last year's, if the major leagues' schedule committee goes through with plans adopted at a meeting in Chicago last week. Discussing the new schedule tentatively adopted, President John A. Heydler of the National League said yesterday that the season will start on Tuesday, April 15, and end either on Monday, Sept. 29, or Tuesday, Sept. 30.

Thereby the big leagues will chop six days off the championship season, although still playing 154 games. Last year's campaign started on April 17 and finished on Oct. 7. The 1924 season will be slightly under twenty-four weeks long, and it will be over in time to get the world's series started by Oct. 1 or 2, eight or nine days before the last classic began.

The schedule makers have effected the reduction by cutting the schedule and cramming in a few double-headers in mid-year. Scheduled double-headers—comparative rarities in the big leagues—will be played in both Boston and Philadelphia of the National League, the former city getting probably three of the double bill and the latter four. Instead of dawdling along for an extra week merely to get in another Saturday and another Sunday date at the end of the season the teams will stop on Sept. 29 or 30 and call it a season.

Fandom and baseball men in general will rejoice over the shrinking of the campaign, for it has been felt that the season was dragged out too far into Autumn days and made the world's series too close to the football season. This year's series will be over, at about the time last year's was beginning, and the New York clubs thereby will have an extra Saturday in October free for a football game if they care to schedule one.

"There are a number of reasons why the schedule committee decided to shorten the season," said Mr. Heydler yesterday. "It was found, for one thing, that many of the magnates did not like such a late close as last season. Then we also figured that next year being a Presidential election year interest in late September and October would be centred in that campaign and baseball could not compete successfully with the elections.

Move Meets With Favor.

"By ending on Sept. 29 the leagues would also get in their season by the time daylight saving ended. After the first of October, with short days and early twilight, people feel suddenly that Summer has passed and that it is time baseball should come to an end.

"The schedule committee, consisting of Ban Johnson, Barney Dreyfuss and myself, is strongly in favor of the move, and since we have supreme authority to make it I felt safe in predicting that it will go through. Because of the fact that there is no Sunday ball in Boston and Philadelphia those cities in the National League will be asked to take several double-headers, but I anticipate no difficulty over this. We will still leave many open dates near the end of the season for the playing of postponed games."

Some surprise was expressed over the fact that the 1924 season will not end on Sunday, the traditional getaway day. In general, however, the shorter season suggestion met with approval, and it undoubtedly will be popular with the fans and what interest in the last few days of the pennant races.

The Yankees came to bat yesterday with the announcement that one N. Cullop, a right-handed pitcher, has been purchased for $10,000 from the Omaha club of the Western League. He is 22 years old, 6 feet and weighs 185 pounds, and he won nine games and lost three, besides playing the outfield in fifty games. The Yanks could not reveal what the "N" stands for, but suggested that it might be Nicholas, Nathaniel, Norris, Napoleon or Nicodemus. The new man is not the old Nick Cullop who once pitched for the Yanks.

Robins' Spring Dates.

The Brooklyn Robins released a Spring exhibition schedule of fifteen games with the Cardinals, Phillies, White Sox, Senators, Indians, Braves and Milwaukee in Florida. Eight of the fifteen will be played at Clearwater, Fla., the Robins' training camp. The games with the Yankees from New Orleans northward are not included.

The schedule follows:

March 11, St. Louis Nationals at Bradentown; 12, Philadelphia Nationals at Clearwater; 15, Milwaukee at Clearwater; 17, Philadelphia Nationals at Leesburg; 19, Chicago Americans at Clearwater; 21, Washington at Clearwater; 22, Cleveland in Clearwater; 24, Milwaukee at Palmetto; 25, Boston Nationals in Clearwater; 26, St. Louis Nationals at Clearwater; 27, Cleveland at Lakeland; 28, Chicago Americans at Winter Park; 31, Washington at Tampa.

April 1, Philadelphia Nationals at Clearwater; 2, Boston Nationals at St. Petersburg.

A telegram to President Heydler yesterday brought the welcome news that George Weiss, owner of the New Haven club, who was badly hurt in the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited on Dec. 9, is steadily improving and will recover. The tidings came from the hospital in Erie, Pa., where Weiss is a patient. He was in the same compartment with "Wild Bill" Donovan, who was killed in the wreck.

FORDHAM FIVE DEFEATED.

Loses Hard-Fought Game to Catholic University, 26 to 23.

The Fordham basketball team lost to Catholic University at Highbridge Lyceum last night by the score of 26 to 23. There was little to choose between the two teams, so evenly matched were they, and neither ever held a lead of more than a few points at any time in the game. At the end of the first half Catholic University was leading, 11 to 9.

The line-up:

CATHOLIC U. (26).		FORDHAM (23).
Eberts	L.F.	Cavanaugh
Breslin	R.F.	Landry
Fitzgerald	C.	Zackszewsky
Lynch	L.G.	Healey
Lawler	R.G.	Manning

Goals from field—Garvin (substitute) (3), Breslin (3), Eberts (2), Fitzgerald, Lawler, Cavanaugh (3), Zackszewsky (2), Manning (2), Healey, O'Brien, Landry. Goals from foul—Lawler (4), Lynch, Fitzgerald, Cavanaugh (2), Zackszewsky.

Substitutions—Catholic University: Garvin for Eberts, Eberts for Fitzgerald. Fordham: O'Brien for Landry, Landry for O'Brien, O'Brien for Landry.

Referee—S. Thorpe, De La Salle. Time of periods—20 minutes.

LEAGUE BROKE RECORD.

Western Circuit Drew 865,428, Setting New Attendance Mark.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—With a total attendance of 865,428, the 1923 season of the Western League was the most prosperous in history, President Tearney announced tonight.

The Tulsa Club, which finished second in the pennant race, led in attendance with 142,726, with Oklahoma City, the pennant winner, second, with 86,918.

Suzuki, Billiard Champion Of Japan, Is En Route Here

The new professional 18.2 balkline billiard champion of Japan is scheduled to arrive in San Francisco in a few days, according to an announcement made here yesterday. The latest sensation from the Orient is Kamekichi Suzuki, and, inspired by the success of two other Japanese stars now in this country, he decided to make the journey. He also was encouraged by Koji Yamada, former champion of Japan, who now is in business in Tokio. Suzuki had a grand average of fifteen when he won the championship. Tadao Suganuma, present 18.2 junior champion, and Kinrey Matsuyama, who finished third in the junior tourney, are the other Japanese stars who have been making good in their play here. Suganuma yesterday said he had received a challenge by cable from Suzuki and that he would meet him if there was no conflict with his schedule.

PHINNEY DEFEATS COONEY AT SQUASH

Harvard Player Gains Decisive Victory in National Handicap Tourney.

Five members of the Yale Club and three of the Harvard Club reached the round before the semi-finals of the national handicap squash tennis tournament yesterday on the courts of the Yale Club. The survivors in the upper half are F. Van S. Hyde, former national champion, and Morris Phinney, both of the Crimson, and Auguste J. Cordier, also a former champion, and Lawrence Bradford of the Blue. In the lower half are Thomas R. Coward of Yale, the ex-national champion, F. S. Whitlock of Harvard and C. Martin and Douglas Bomeisler of the Elis. Hyde will meet Phinney today, Cordier will oppose Bradford, Coward will play Whitlock and Martin will meet Bomeisler.

Phinney's decisive defeat of Carrol T. Cooney of the Yale Club was the outstanding feat of yesterday's play in the fourth round. The Harvard man, playing from plus 1, won by the overwhelming margin of 15—4, 15—3. Cooney was rated minus 3, assuming a handicap of 4 points. Had the two men begun from scratch, Phinney would have won from the way he played. There was little that the Crimson star did not have. His strokes carried impressive speed, his court covering was almost flawless and his tactics were always commendable. At no time in the match did he falter, starting at his best and maintaining his form to the last point.

Cooney always played a losing game. It was impossible to break down the defense of his opponent so that his hands-in were of little avail to him. When Phinney had the service the Yale player was forced to battle desperately to handle his straight-wall smashes and to anticipate his opponent's next shot. Phinney never let him be sure of what was coming next and gave a pretty exhibition of strategical stroking.

Hyde, one of the two men in the tournament rated at minus 10, won his opening game from A. S. Moses of the Crescent A. C. without ever being in any danger, in spite of the fact that his opponent had fifteen points on him, being rated plus 5. In the second chapter the Crimson star was forced to call upon his best before he was able to prevent the match from going to a third game. Not until Moses was within two points of the game did he catch him, setting the game 5 points at 13-all. The Crescent representative kept the outcome of the game in doubt until the last, Hyde winning by the margin of 2 points at 15—16.

Coward, the other minus 10 player, was never in any difficulty against H. R. Stern, a clubmate, who started from scratch. Stern got nine points in the first game and three in the second. Coward showed better form in this match than he has for some time. Since he was taken ill a year ago his play has suffered noticeably, and yesterday was one of the few good days he has had since then. His speed at times was terrific, and, combined with good control and use of the angles, was sufficient to keep him out of danger at all times. His service, too, was a considerable asset, winning points for him on several occasions, either outright or by forcing Stern into making weak returns.

E. A. Guggenheim of the Yale Club, who gave a surprise on Monday by defeating Charles M. Bull Jr. of the Crescent A. C., was eliminated yesterday by C. Martin, a clubmate. Martin played from scratch and Guggenheim from plus 6. The latter was not as effective as he was against Bull. His smashes did not carry as much steam and his control was not of the best.

The summaries:

Upper Half.

Fourth Round—F. Van S. Hyde, Harvard Club (minus 10), defeated A. S. Moses, Crescent A. C. (plus 5), 15—9, 15—16; Morris Phinney, Harvard Club (plus 1), defeated Carrol T. Cooney, Yale Club (minus 3), 15—4, 15—11; Auguste J. Cordier, Yale Club (minus 6), defeated E. Muller, Princeton Club (plus 6), 15—6, 15—11; Lawrence Bradford, Yale Club (scratch), defeated K. R. Smith, Yale Club (plus 5), 15—6, 15—11.

Lower Half.

Fourth Round—Thomas R. Coward, Yale Club (minus 10), defeated H. R. Stern, Yale Club (scratch), 15—9, 15—3; F. S. Whitlock, Harvard Club (minus 6), defeated S. E. Walker Jr., Yale Club (plus 5), 15—13, 15—12; C. Martin, Yale Club (scratch), defeated E. A. Guggenheim, Yale Club (plus 6), 15—9, 17—15; Douglas M. Bomeisler, Yale Club (minus 5), defeated D. Mok. Blodgett, Yale Club (plus 5), 15—4, 15—3.

ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE WINS.

Defeats N. Y. U. Five by 31 to 30 in Last-Minute Rally.

St. Francis College defeated the N. Y. U. basketball team in a close game on the latter's court last night by the score of 31 to 30. The two teams fought nip and tuck from the beginning of the match to the end, St. Francis winning with a last-minute rally that netted three field goals. At half time the two teams were tied at 13—13.

Raye, centre, was the high scorer of the game, accounting for twelve of the winning points on six field goals. Keating scored four times from the field and twice on free throws. Masline was the star for N. Y. U.

The line-up:

ST. FRANCIS COL. (31).		N. Y. U. (30).
Moran	L.F.	Masline
Keating	R.F.	Boesch
Raye	C.	Pinsbergh
Kenny	L.G.	Hillenbach
Crane	R.G.	Berger

Goals from field—Raye (6), Keating (4), Moran, Crane, Masline (4), Fineberg (2), Beecher (2), Boesch. Goals from foul—Moran (3), Keating (2), Crane (2), Masline (5), Fineberg (3), Boesch, Hillenbach.

Referee—S. H. Hastings, Cornell. Time of halves—20 minutes.

COLGATE FIVE WINS, 47-27.

Takes Third Game in Row by Defeating St. Bonaventure.

Special to The New York Times.

HAMILTON, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Showing its best form of the year, the Colgate basketball team won its third straight game of the season tonight by defeating St. Bonaventure by a score of 47 to 27. The latter made only one field basket in the first half, which ended with the Maroon leading, 28 to 6.

Basketball Results.

Yale 28, Maine 17.
Colgate 47, St. Bonaventure 24.
Trinity 25, Williams 24.
Catholic U. 26, Fordham 23.
De Witt Clinton High 36, C. C. N. Y. Freshmen 14.
All Hallows 24, Cathedral Prep 12.
St. Francis 31, N. Y. U. 30.
Mount St. Mary's 28, Manhattan College 28.

GOLF STARS ARRIVE HERE FROM ENGLAND

Havers and Ockenden Will Play in American Tourneys Next Four Months.

CHANGE MADE IN ITINERARY

Champions Will Go Direct to Laurel, Miss., From Pinehurst Instead of to Florida.

Two of golf's first citizens, Arthur Havers and James Ockenden, set foot on American soil for the first time late yesterday afternoon when the Berengaria arrived from Southampton. After going through the usual scrutiny of Customs officials and passing muster, the pair, in custody of their manager, T. W. Niblett of the Dunlop Company, under whose auspices they made the journey, escorted them to the Hotel Biltmore where they will remain until Friday.

Havers is the British open champion while Ockenden is the holder of the French open championship. They expect to be in America for the next four months, returning to England sometime in April.

On Friday they will depart for Pinehurst where they will play their first exhibition match against Donald Ross, the Pinehurst professional who won the American open title in 1907, and Joe Capello, one of Ross's assistants. After that they will trek southward and westward, playing exhibition matches on the Pacific Coast and in the South as well as competing in the major championship events scheduled during the Winter in those places.

Laurel Next Step.

Instead of going direct to Florida, as their plans were originally announced, they will go from Pinehurst to Laurel, Miss., for an exhibition match and from there to Jackson, Miss., and Shreveport, La. They will then go to New Orleans where, in all probability, one of their opponents will be Billy Mehlhorn who was Hagen's principal antagonist in several southern tournaments last Winter.

From New Orleans they will go directly to the western coast where they have a number of engagements, one of their most important ones being against Willie Hunter, former British amateur champion who is now located in the West, and George Sargent, former trans-Mississippi champion.

It is on the Coast that Havers's principal match—that with Gene Sarazen, the P. G. A. champion—will be played in January. The two will meet in a 72-hole encounter for the unofficial world's professional championship. One half of the match will be played at Los Angeles and the other in San Francisco. On the way back to Florida Havers and Ockenden will play in the Texas open championship at San Antonio, where a purse of $6,000 has been raised as prize money. This will probably be their first opportunity to test their strength with the topnotchers in America's ranks, for most of the great ones are expected to be on hand for the event.

Pinehurst Last Stand.

After playing in the various Florida tournaments they will work their way northward and take part in the North and South open championship at Pinehurst. Shortly after that event they will return to England to begin getting into shape for the British open.

Both of the stars declared themselves glad to have the opportunity of visiting America.

"We have heard so much about America from those that have been over here that we wanted to get a look at it ourselves," said Havers, "and when the opportunity came we were glad to avail ourselves of it. Shortly before we sailed I was chatting with Ted Ray, who stated that he wished he were coming with us."

He paid a high compliment to the American professionals who competed in the open championship at Troon last Spring and was modest in respect to his own victory. "Your men gave us a very bad scare," he said. "The fact that they finished second, third and fourth, with only four shots difference between first and fourth shows how exciting it was. We were all sorry that Sarazen and Barnes didn't qualify, for they are both good enough golfers to qualify in any championship, no matter how low the scoring goes.

"Sarazen made a great hit on the other side, and we want to see him return next year. He is a great little golfer, and I am ready for one of the hardest matches I ever played when we get together on the Coast next month."

The two visitors will be guests of honor at a luncheon at the Hotel Biltmore today, at which they will be extended an official welcome. "Long Jim" Barnes of Pelham, winner of the American open title in 1921, will represent the P. G. A.

YALE FIVE TRIUMPHS.

Registers 26-to-17 Victory Over Maine Basketball Team.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 18.—The Yale basketball five tonight stopped the winning streak of the University of Maine quintet, administering a 26 to 17 defeat. Pite, Suisman and Haas were the chief scorers for the Blue, Pite making six field goals and two out of four tries from the foul line, while his running mate shot three field goals and Haas registered twice on long shots. Pite was easily the star of the contest, his back-hand shots on both sides of the basket being spectacular.

The line-up:

YALE (26).		MAINE (17).
Suisman	L.F.	Berg
Pite	R.F.	Lake
Burbridge	C.	Soderberg
Luman	L.G.	Woodbury
Haas	R.G.	Horsman

Goals from field—Yale: Pite (6), Suisman (3), Haas (2), Bench. Maine: Soderberg (4), Berg (2), Horsman. Foul goals—Pite 2 out of 4, Soderberg 1 out of 1, Berg 2 out of 3.

Substitutions—Yale: Bench for Luman, Luman for Burbridge, Neale for Suisman, Clarke for Luman, Hall for Haas. Maine: Mason for Lake. Time of halves—15 minutes. Umpire—Cramer. Referee—Walsh.

MEDAL WINNER DEFEATED.

T. H. Brown Loses to J. D. Chapman, 4 and 3, at Pinehurst.

Special to The New York Times.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 1.—John D. Chapman, Greenwich, defeated T. Russell Brown, medallist, of Montclair, today, 4 and 3, in the first round of the golf tournament for all-season members of the Pinehurst Country Club.

The summaries:

First Eight—Donald Fairen, Youngstown, defeated W. T. Barr, Shelter Island Heights, 3 and 2; R. L. Chatfield, Pinehurst, defeated F. T. Keating, Spring Lake, 3 and 2; P. S. P. Randolph Jr., Piping Rock, defeated M. S. Burr, Pittsburgh, 2 and 1; John D. Chapman, Greenwich, defeated T. Russell Brown, Montclair, 4 and 3.

Second Eight—W. A. Rupp, Buffalo, defeated R. V. Covert, Lockport, 4 and 3; Phillip Stevenson, Piping Rock, defeated D. Armstrong, Shennecossett, 3 and 2; L. H. Wiswell, Montclair, defeated A. G. Higgins, St. Andrews, 3 and 1; J. R. Bowker, Boston, defeated M. Morris, New York, 3 and 1.

C. C. N. Y. ELECTS PHILDIUS.

Star End Will Lead Football Team Next Season.

Robert T. Phildius, 1924 team star end, has been elected captain of the 1924 City College varsity football team. Phildius played regular end all season and together with Roy Piand, quarterback on the 1923 aggregation, was a star of the 1923 freshman team.

Phildius prepared for college at Erasmus Hall High, where he played football for two years and hockey for one year. He made the all-city team in hockey and received honorable mention in football in 1922.

Rice Is Honored at Dinner By Old Columbia Associates

A dinner in honor of Jim Rice, former rowing coach at Columbia, was given by his old associates and friends on the campus at the Faculty Club last night. Coaches, officials of the university and members of the physical education department were among those present, as was Graduate Manager R. W. Watt. At the close of the dinner Rice's friends presented him with a handsome silver cup commemorating his seventeen years of service as coach of the Blue and White crews.

ERASMUS HALL IS VICTOR BY 4 TO 1

Defeats De Witt Clinton High and Takes Lead in P. S. A. L. Ice Hockey Race.

The Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Pts.
Erasmus	3	0	6
Jamaica	2	0	4
Boys'	2	1	4
Richmond Hill	1	1	2
Flushing	1	1	2
Stuyvesant	1	2	2
Morris	0	2	0
De Witt	0	3	0

Erasmus Hall took the lead in the P. S. A. L. ice hockey championship last night when it defeated the DeWitt Clinton High School team by the score of 4 goals to 1 at the 181st Street Ice Palace. The Flatbush school has now won three games and lost none for a total of six points, giving it first place over Jamaica High School, with which it was tied at two games won and none lost. Jamaica did not play last night. In the other game, Boys' High was the victor over Stuyvesant at two goals to one. The victory put the winning team in third place with two games won and one lost. De Witt Clinton's defeat was its third straight.

All of the four points scored by Erasmus Hall were made in the first half. In the second period the tailenders of the league surprised by holding the strong Brooklyn combination scoreless playing a strong defensive game and making a goal itself. The first goal for Erasmus was made by Levy, who took the puck from the centre and shot it ten yards from off to the right. Hadnot came through with the second point when he carried the puck the full length of the rink unassisted and made the goal. J. Johnson took the puck from a scrimmage in front of the net and carried it the length of the rink to score the third goal and also made the fourth on a short drive from off to the right.

James made the only point for De Witt Clinton on a short drive. Graber played a strong defensive game at goal for the losing team and Barry also put up a good defensive game.

The Boys' High-Stuyvesant game was a repetition of the first. Boys' High did all the scoring in the first period and then Stuyvesant came back in the second half. Both of the winning teams' goals were made by Bronstein from scrimmages in front of the net. Morris scored the only goal for Stuyvesant.

The line-ups:

ERASMUS HALL (4).		DE WITT CL. (1).
Levy	L.W.	Simon
Wade	R.W.	Dibbe
S. Johnson	C.	Jacoves
Hadnot	C.P.	Barry
Abel	P.	James
Townsend	G.	Graber

Goals—J. Johnson (2), Levy, Hadnot, James.

Substitutions—Erasmus Hall: Moore for Townsend, Ingalls for Hadnot, Johannesen for J. Johnson, Coates for Levy, L. Johnson for Wade. De Witt Clinton: Meinhardt for Jacoves.

Referee—Tom Lynch, M. A. S. A. Goal judges—William Murphy and Horace Potter, M. A. S. A. Time of periods—15 minutes.

BOYS' HIGH (2).		STUYVESANT (1).
Berlowitz	L.W.	Perez
Greenberg	R.W.	Morris
Bronstein	C.	Whalen
Selowsky	C.P.	Walts
Rayvid	P.	Kneiper
Rosen	G.	Rosenstock

Goals—Bronstein (2), Morris.

Substitution—Boys' High: Levy for Berlowitz.

Referee—Tom Lynch. Goal scorers—William Murphy and Horace Potter. Time of periods—15 minutes.

RUTGERS NOT TO PLAY W. VA. ELEVEN IN 1924

Annual Election Day Contest Is Discontinued — To Meet Cornell Oct. 18.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Dec. 18.—The Rutgers football schedule for 1924, announced today by Graduate Manager William P. Garrison, reveals the abandonment of the annual game at the New York Polo Grounds on election day. By a ruling of the faculty, election day is no longer a college holiday. West Virginia, which has appeared on the schedule since 1916, will not be played. Cornell will be played at Ithaca October 18.

The schedule follows:

Sept. 27, Villanova at New Brunswick.
Oct. 4, Lebanon Valley at New Brunswick; 11, open; 18, Cornell at Ithaca; 25, Lehigh at Bethlehem.
Nov. 1, Franklin and Marshall at New Brunswick; 8, Lafayette at New Brunswick; 15, New York University at New York; 22, Bucknell at Franklin Field, Philadelphia, or New Brunswick.

NAVY HOLDS SCRIMMAGE.

Folwell Sends Varsity Against Second Team—Barchet Stars.

Special to The New York Times.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 18.—One of the most satisfactory practice periods since the team began special preparations for the game against the University of Washington at Pasadena on New Year's Day was held at the Naval Academy this afternoon, the varsity scrimmaging against the second team. For nearly the whole of the period the Navy used McKee, Downs, Cullen and Barchet in the backfield, the latter carrying the ball on more plays than any other back. McKee also was used as the carrier on a number of plays.

Barchet carried the ball in fine shape and warranted the belief that he is getting back to his form of 1921. Folwell sent his players through the whole line of straight plays, also using a single pass occasionally.

WILLIAMS KEEPS WENDELL.

Football Coach Will Return in 1924 —Won Three Titles.

Special to The New York Times.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Dec. 18.—It was announced today that Percy Wendell, former Harvard football star, had been engaged to return as Williams's football coach next year. He has met with rare success in charge of the Purple gridiron destinies for the past three years, during which his charges have won regularly in their big games with Amherst, Wesleyan and Columbia.

Schwartz to Meet Ruttenberg.

The Broadway Exhibition Association of Brooklyn will conduct a twelve-round bout between Corporal Izzy Schwartz, east side flyweight, and Bobby Ruttenberg of Reading, Pa., as its feature bout tonight. Willie Harmon and George Lavigne, welterweights, will clash in another twelve-round match.

ARMY AND COLUMBIA MAY MEET IN 1924

Negotiations Under Way for Football Game on West Point Field on Nov. 15.

CADETS ANNOUNCE DATES

St. Louis, Boston U., Detroit and Norwich Among New Teams Placed on Schedule.

Special to The New York Times.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 18.—The Columbia University football team probably will come here next Fall to play the Army. Army has one open date left on its schedule for the 1924 season, which was announced today. This date, Nov. 15, was offered to Columbia, and negotiations with the Morningside Heights football officials are now being carried on. Columbia only once has visited the West Point gridiron, and that was back in 1899, when the Blue and White eleven took the cadets into camp by a score of 18 to 0.

Nine games will comprise Army's program for next season when the open date is filled. All the contests will be played at home except those with Notre Dame, Yale and the Navy. Sites for the Notre Dame and Yale games have been announced, but the Navy will decide where the annual service tilt will be played next year.

Five of the colleges on Army's card last Fall failed to get places on the program for next season. They are Tennessee, Auburn, Lebanon Valley, Arkansas Aggies and Bethany. In their places Army has taken on St. Louis University, University of Detroit, Boston University and Norwich University, with the one open date yet to be filled. None of these college elevens ever has played here before.

The schedule, as announced today, follows:

Oct. 4, St. Louis University; 11, University of Detroit; 18, University of Notre Dame at Polo Grounds; 25, Boston University; Nov. 1, Yale at New Haven; 8, University of Florida; 15, open; 22, Norwich University; 29, Navy, site not yet announced.

Columbia Confirms Report.

R. W. Watt, Graduate Manager of Athletics at Columbia, last night confirmed the fact that negotiations between Army and Columbia for a football game are under way. Officials of the two institutions have been discussing the matter for some time, said Watt, but have not yet reached an agreement.

CHICAGO SCHEDULE OUT.

One Date Is Held Open for an Eastern Football Rival.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—A. A. Stagg, veteran football coach of the University of Chicago, announced tonight that the Maroon schedule for 1924 would be filled out with an intersectional game with a leading Eastern team. The identity of the Eastern opponent will not be revealed until a contract is signed, which probably will be tomorrow.

The choice probably will be either Brown, Pittsburgh, Syracuse, the Army or Colgate.

The Chicago schedule as arranged to date follows:

Oct. 4, Missouri at Chicago; 11, open; 18, Indiana at Chicago; 25, Ohio State at Columbus.

Nov. 1, Purdue at Chicago; 8, Illinois at Chicago; 15, Northwestern at Chicago; 22, Wisconsin at Chicago.

No Ice Hockey Games Postponed.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 18.—Because of lack of ice, the opening games in the United States Amateur Hockey League at St. Paul and Duluth have been postponed indefinitely, it was announced today.

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FEATURE CAPTURED BY MARGARET WARE

O'Connor's Three-Year-Old Filly Wins Fourth Race at New Orleans.

LITTLE AMMIE IS SECOND

Finishes Length and a Half Behind Victor—Belle Amie, 13 to 10 Favorite, Third.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18.—There was no stake on the program at Jefferson Park this afternoon, the place of honor on the card, the fourth event, being occupied by a race for fillies and mares, three-year-olds and upward, over the course of a mile and a sixteenth. Only five went to the post, of which number J. H. Connor's three-year-old filly Margaret Ware proved the best. The daughter of Astronomer and Pinfeather seemed to like the heavy going and raced in her best form. Well handled by Lee, she made all the running and won with considerable in reserve by a length and a half from Little Ammie.

Belle Amie was the public choice, opening at even money and receding to 13 to 10 at post time. The filly was well up for three-quarters of a mile, but tired in the stretch drive to finish third. Margaret Wars carried top weight of 110 pounds and was quoted at 7 to 2 at post time. The race was run in 1:53 4-5.

Farland and Parke divided the riding honors of the afternoon, each bringing home two winners. Parke rode the winner of the first race, the two-year-old colt Tomtella, in a six-furlong dash for all ages. Parke gave the winner a hustling ride, racing down Frontiersman and outstaying Baldine in the stretch drive. Twelve went to the post, with Baldine the favorite, backed from even money to 4 to 5 at post time. The winner was second choice at 7 to 2. The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For all ages; maidens; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Tomtella, 103 pounds (Parke), 7 to 2, even, 1 to 3, first; Baldine, 100 (Farland), 1 to 3, out, second; Frontiersman, 106 (Smith), 5 to 2, third. Time—1:18 4-5. Balm Lake, Juno, Uncle Abe, Jessamine, Satirist, Dustproof, Richard Murray, Mount Pleasant and Judge Wright II. also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and one-half furlongs. Sling, 110 pounds (Lang), 8 to 1, 2 to 1, 8 to 5, first; Royal Dick, 111 (Wallace), 4 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Piedmont 111 (Corcoran), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:11 2-5. Anticipate, Fibbertygibbet, Mr. Beck, Bud Fisher, First Consul, Golden Floss, Monsoon, Old Top and Canteen Girl also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; allowances; purse $700; five and one-half furlongs. Red Arrow, 105 pounds (Farland), 11 to 5, 8 to 5, 1 to 4, first; Lord Granite, 112 (Frank) 4 to 5, 1 to 2, second; Sequel, 102 (Parke), even, third. Time—1:11. Tuscola and Neddam also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares; claiming; purse $700; one mile and one-sixteenth. Margaret Ware, 110 pounds (Lee), 7 to 2, even, 2 to 5, first, Little Ammie, 107 (Rose), 4 to 5, 1 to 4, second; Belle Amie, 109 (Corcoran), 1 to 5, third. Time—1:53 4-5. Sweet B. and Insulate also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Bessie Wright, 104 pounds (Parke), 9 to 2, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, first; Businesslike, 106 (Blind), 8 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 10, second; Jackson, 110 (Nicholson), 9 to 1, third. Time—1:18. Time's Up, Attila, Frosty Boy, Bernice Childs, Bessie Hope, Flitlow and Vienness also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and three-sixteenths. Lord Wrack, 107 pounds (Farland), 6 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 5, first; Super, 111 (Corcoran), 7 to 1, 4 to 5, second; Pete Fox, 110 (Wallace), 4 to 5, third. Time—2:08 1-5. Attorney, Grass Tree, Smarty and Clean Gone also ran.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $700; for maidens, two-year-olds; five and a half furlongs. Levoy, Exchange, Wise Cracker, Little Alfred, Warren Lynch, Everglade, Uncle Abe 115 pounds, bLady Burrows 112, aTelescope, Maris Cohen, Gold Mark 115, Troutwick 112. Also eligible—Carlton 115, aPemkon 112, Anna Mary 112, bFausto 115. aGallagher & Courson entry. bMadden-Audley Farm entry.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. Aladdin 113 pounds, Poor Sport 109, Firecracker 106, Rhinegold 104, Tender Seth 112, Kingsclere 107, Sequel 108, Glenconoko 104, Care Free 112, Tableau d'Honneur 107, Guv'nor 105, Martha Moore 100. Also eligible—John Q. Kelly 114, Rock Bottom 109, Kirklevington 102, The Franciscan 107, Kirah 105, Lady Rose 109.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; a mile and a sixteenth, Tingling 114 pounds, aAttorney Muir 107, Young Adam 107, Farewell Tape 104, Frank Monroe 112, Hutchison 107, Huckleberry Finn 105, aWaukesa 103, Judge Price 107, Castilover 107, Our Betsy 104, Dick's Daughter 109. Also eligible—Camouflour 112, aPanjandrum 104, Haidee 107, aMiss Bim 93, aOur Birthday 107, Jake Berger 111.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $1,000; for two-year-olds; six furlongs. Blister 118 pounds, Anna 105, Phoebe Snow 100, Dobson 112, Deronda 102, Beautiful Addie 106, Julia M. 102.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $700; for three-year-olds (and upward; claiming; a mile and a sixteenth. Magician 116 pounds, Mock Orange 107, aWhite Haven 104, Bijou 102, Timbrel 112, Lord Herbert 107, May Girl 104, Toddy Toast 101, Nohow 107, Dentaria 107, aManokin 105, aStraight Shot 90. Also eligible—aIron Boy 107, aDr. Rae 107, Bowsprit 106, Dantzic 112, Honolulu Boy 112, aReliability 108.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; a mile and a sixteenth. Majority 113 pounds, aWrangler, aDucks and Drakes, Stump Jr., Flying Devil 107 each.

aApprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track heavy.

TIJUANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—For two-year-old maidens; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Miss Nantura, 98 pounds (Gormley), $11.60, $6.20, $5, first; Zillah, 103 (Walls), $8.60, $3.60, second; Bramton, 107 (Erickson), $2.60, third. Time—1:07. Serena, Mad Trooper, Whipsaw, Odeon, Over Shot and Free Gift also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and one-half furlongs. Sling, 110 pounds (Lang), 8 to 1, 2 to 1, 8 to 5, first; Royal Dick, 111 (Wallace), 4 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Piedmont 111 (Corcoran), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:11 2-5. Anticipate, Fibbertygibbet, Mr. Beck, Bud Fisher, First Consul, Golden Floss, Monsoon, Old Top and Canteen Girl also ran.

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Weather cloudy; track heavy.

TIJUANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Punta Gorda 98 pounds, Billy Gibson 103, Flutrel 104, Day of Wrath 111, Mrs. Pat 101, Big Indian 103, Curtain Point 106, Hereafter 111, May Bruen 108, Inphaw 102, Ike Mills 106.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. Phillippe Luge 101 pounds, Reyde 101, Flame 109, Plurality 108, Peerless One 101, Chairmaster 101, Fay Mac 106, Martha L. 106, White Boots 101, Al Wick 106, Jolly Sailor 106, Judge David 109.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and an eighth. Col. Lit 108 pounds, Bacchus 103, Negresse 109, Morro Castle 109, Broom Peddler 108, Maize P. 108, Topmost 103, Fireworth 108, Louis 106.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600; two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs. High Trump 115 pounds, Jimson 112, Eminent 111, Lot Frazel 112, Queen Catherine 112, Irish Buzzer 111, Keegan 112, Rams 112, Hugo Pine 111, Pr-ram 111.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. May Prosper 95 pounds, Piedra 109, Sportsman 111, Tule 96, Ghad Wows 106, Tooters 111, Wedding Prince 106, Nebraska Lad 106, Vic 111.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $600; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. Furious Hill 111 pounds, Flow Steel 108, Malavena 113, Dr. Johnson 113, Faithful Girl 113, H. Warren 108, Lucky Hugh 109, Sample 113, Just Right 113, Dan Hogan 113, Tom Owen 110, Dillon 106, Desperate Dan 113, Phrone Ward 113.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Wylie 97 pounds, Primrose 102, Jim Bailey 106, Marcella, Boy Dio, Lady Ines 100, Ruddy 100, Elias O. 107, Blarney Stone 112, Reap 102, Chiva 106, L'Effare 110.

Weather clear; track fast.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; two-year-olds; claiming; five and a half furlongs. aLeila 101 pounds, Fly Lady 102, Gold Leaf 108, Fawnbroker 109, aCastilla 101, Joy Maker 103, Heliscope 108, Liborio 108, Libyan Queen 102, aBlue Miss 104, Moorfield 109.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. aCarrie Moore 97 pounds, War Fox 104, Hoke 107, Tamper 113, Black Baby 102, aPincastle 104, Joe Underwood 107, aNic 105, aApproval 107, Acosta 113.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and a half furlongs. aMary Rock 103 pounds, Walter Whitaker 108, Pomerene 106, aScurvy 108, Memphis 110, Juanita E. 102, aKeenan 106, aRoman 106, Flying Boat 108, Runnan 112, Duly Fashion 106, Gunton 106, Sovereign 2d 103, Win or Quit 110, Mack Garner 112.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and a half furlongs. aGlory of the Seas 94 93 pounds, Minnie Mack 104, aFoy 103, Elizabeth Jewell 104, Miss Kate 111, Kelox 105, Easton 106, John Spohn 108, Gilder 110, St. Just 113, Falwin 100, aAwaing 104, aChief Berthell 108, Lank 111.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600; handicap; all ages; six furlongs. Romping Mary 95 pounds, Charles Whitney 102, Whirlwind 100, Kirk Lady 90, George Ruffan 106, Trafalgar 97, aPrince Regent 108.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; mile and a sixteenth. aGipsy Joe 101 pounds, aOkaloosa 104, Blue Grass 108, Billy Stuart 108, aTeacats 101, Little Ed 107, Copyright 109, Black Watch 2d 112, Capt. Adams 102, aEyesright 107, Heaven 102, Masonry 113.

aApprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

French to Build Autodrome Like That at Indianapolis

PARIS, Dec. 18.—Contracts have been signed for the construction of an automobile speedway near Arpajon, fifteen miles south of Paris, on the same lines as that at Indianapolis. Hitherto the French automobile industry has been seriously handicapped by the absence of an autodrome in France on which to try out racing cars. French machines, whose engines are really only bench tested, are unable to make much headway against foreign competitors who enjoy the advantages of proper tracks on which to make the preliminary trials.

SUN MAIDEN WINNER IN HAVANA FEATURE

Coe Stable Two-Year-Old Captures Her First Race at Oriental Park.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 18.—Sun Maiden, the most recent addition to the W. H. Coe Stable, which was shipped here from Bowie at the conclusion of that meeting, scored her first victory at Oriental Park today when she beat an ordinary lot of two-year-olds in the fourth race, a dash of six furlongs that featured the program. Sun Maiden was an odds-on favorite. In a previous effort Sun Maiden was beaten by Trafalgar.

Callahan waited with her this afternoon and avoided the pace. He never made a move until well around the far turn, where he went around the leaders with a rush, and in the stretch run drew away. Ancestress made her run at the same time as the favorite did and at the top of the homestretch made a desperate effort, but the winner had a bit in hand and was never in danger.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; maiden two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs. Superanna 109 pounds (Fernis), 7 to 10, 1 to 4, 1 to 5, first; Stone Image 106 (J. Callahan), 7 to 10, 1 to 4, second; Miss Margaret 109 (Pickens), 1 to 3, third. Time—1:07. Coriette, Ashburton, Marmaduke and Bolivar also ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Miss Beulah 101 pounds (Pickens), 3 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 4, first; Pepper Tea 109 (Majestic), 4 to 5, 1 to 3, second; End Man 107 (Eaton), 1 to 4, third. Time—1:07. Miss Liberty, Gupton, Foul Weather, Whispering and Gloom also ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. Superior 111 pounds (Pickens), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 3, first; Golden Chance 115 (Seremba), 2½ to 1, 6 to 5, second; Allsie Vernor 106 (Thrailkill), even, third. Time—1:14. Polite, Ella C., Punctual, Drapery, Eye Bright, Fox Glove, Haran, Ait Vesina and Sun Turret also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600; two-year-olds; allowances; six furlongs. Sun Maiden 101 pounds (J. Callahan), 2 to 5, 1 to 10, out, first; Ancestress 101 (Lancet), even, out, second; Judge Hickman 109 (Woodstock), out, third. Time—1:14. Cloporte and Somerby also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile and fifty yards. American Soldier 105 pounds (Overton), 20 to 1, 8 to 1, 4 to 1, first; Bruce Dudley 110 (Primrose), 4 to 5, 1 to 3, second; Yallahligoi 97 (J. Callahan), 1 to 2, third. Time—1:45 2-5. Dorienne, Mooresque, Radical, Jap Muma and Weinland also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile and fifty yards. British Liner 107 pounds (Pickens), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, 4 to 5, first; Lucy Kate 112 (G. Williams), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, second; Jellison 110 (W. Smith), 11 to 5, third. Time—1:44. Biddiedee, Halu, Blarney Boy, Ring Rose and Perhaps also ran.

Weather clear; track fast.

POLO STARS PLAY TONIGHT.

Hitchcock, Strawbridge and Belmont to Perform at Armory.

Thomas Hitchcock Jr., a member of the famous Big Four which brought back the International Challenge Cup from England in 1921, will be a member of one of the indoor polo teams which will be in action tonight at the Squadron A Armory, Ninety-fourth Street and Park Avenue. Hitchcock will play at back on the team, which will have R. E. Cooke at No. 2 and J. Ford Johnson Jr. of the Rumson Polo Club at No. 1.

Playing against this trio will be a team which will have at back Robert E. Strawbridge Jr., who played on the Meadow Brook team that won the outdoor open championship this year. His No. 2 will be R. H. Post Jr., and at No. 1 will be Raymond Belmont, who played the same position on the championship Meadow Brook team.

As a preliminary to the big game, the Squadron A team will play against the Riding Club team in a match of two periods. The feature event will be a game of four periods.

TIJUANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Punta Gorda 98 pounds, Billy Gibson 103, Flutrel 104, Day of Wrath 111, Mrs. Pat 101, Big Indian 103, Curtain Point 106, Hereafter 111, May Bruen 108, Inphaw 102, Ike Mills 106.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. Phillippe Luge 101 pounds, Reyde 101, Flame 109, Plurality 108, Peerless One 101, Chairmaster 101, Fay Mac 106, Martha L. 106, White Boots 101, Al Wick 106, Jolly Sailor 106, Judge David 109.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and an eighth. Col. Lit 108 pounds, Bacchus 103, Negresse 109, Morro Castle 109, Broom Peddler 108, Maize P. 108, Topmost 103, Fireworth 108, Louis 106.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600; two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs. High Trump 115 pounds, Jimson 112, Eminent 111, Lot Frazel 112, Queen Catherine 112, Irish Buzzer 111, Keegan 112, Rams 112, Hugo Pine 111, Pr-ram 111.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. May Prosper 95 pounds, Piedra 109, Sportsman 111, Tule 96, Ghad Wows 106, Tooters 111, Wedding Prince 106, Nebraska Lad 106, Vic 111.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $600; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. Furious Hill 111 pounds, Flow Steel 108, Malavena 113, Dr. Johnson 113, Faithful Girl 113, H. Warren 108, Lucky Hugh 109, Sample 113, Just Right 113, Dan Hogan 113, Tom Owen 110, Dillon 106, Desperate Dan 113, Phrone Ward 113.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Wylie 97 pounds, Primrose 102, Jim Bailey 106, Marcella, Boy Dio, Lady Ines 100, Ruddy 100, Elias O. 107, Blarney Stone 112, Reap 102, Chiva 106, L'Effare 110.

Weather clear; track fast.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; two-year-olds; claiming; five and a half furlongs. aLeila 101 pounds, Fly Lady 102, Gold Leaf 108, Fawnbroker 109, aCastilla 101, Joy Maker 103, Heliscope 108, Liborio 108, Libyan Queen 102, aBlue Miss 104, Moorfield 109.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. aCarrie Moore 97 pounds, War Fox 104, Hoke 107, Tamper 113, Black Baby 102, aPincastle 104, Joe Underwood 107, aNic 105, aApproval 107, Acosta 113.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and a half furlongs. aMary Rock 103 pounds, Walter Whitaker 108, Pomerene 106, aScurvy 108, Memphis 110, Juanita E. 102, aKeenan 106, aRoman 106, Flying Boat 108, Runnan 112, Duly Fashion 106, Gunton 106, Sovereign 2d 103, Win or Quit 110, Mack Garner 112.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and a half furlongs. aGlory of the Seas 94 93 pounds, Minnie Mack 104, aFoy 103, Elizabeth Jewell 104, Miss Kate 111, Kelox 105, Easton 106, John Spohn 108, Gilder 110, St. Just 113, Falwin 100, aAwaing 104, aChief Berthell 108, Lank 111.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600; handicap; all ages; six furlongs. Romping Mary 95 pounds, Charles Whitney 102, Whirlwind 100, Kirk Lady 90, George Ruffan 106, Trafalgar 97, aPrince Regent 108.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; mile and a sixteenth. aGipsy Joe 101 pounds, aOkaloosa 104, Blue Grass 108, Billy Stuart 108, aTeacats 101, Little Ed 107, Copyright 109, Black Watch 2d 112, Capt. Adams 102, aEyesright 107, Heaven 102, Masonry 113.

aApprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

MISS HYDON'S ENTRY IS JUDGED BEST CAT

Lavender Supremacy Gains Highest Honors in Show at Waldorf-Astoria.

FOUR CHAMPIONS CHOSEN

Wintarge El Furado, Kilravock Meringue and Sunset Invincible Are Other Winners.

Lavender Supremacy, Miss E. G. Hydon's champion blue Persian, was judged the best cat of the twenty-second annual Atlantic Cat Club show, which closed at the Waldorf-Astoria yesterday. There were nearly 200 pedigreed cats competing for the highest award of the show, and from this brave array of feline aristocracy four champions of their own breeds were finally selected for the final judging. They were Lavender Supremacy of the blues, Wintarge El Furado of the silvers, Champion Kilravock Meringue of the whites and Sunset Invincible, best of the cream-colored breed. As each of these champions appeared the gallery successively voted it the best and the judges must have had something of the same feeling, for it took them quite a while to decide that the big and showy cat was the best of the four.

It was Lavender Supremacy's fifth cat show in the two years of his petted existence and it was also the fifth time that he has been named as the best cat. He was the only cat exhibited by Miss Hydon, who has been breeding blue Persians in this country and England for twenty-five years. Not content with his victories here in the United States, Lavender Supremacy has gone into Canada and beaten the best cats that the Dominion could produce and has numbered among his victims the $5,000 Winter Pax. Miss Hydon refused to put a value on her champion, saying that she would not take $5,000 for him, but she admitted that if he was put up for sale she would be lucky if he brought $500. Lavender Supremacy has a litter sister, Lavender Moth, which is also undefeated, and his sire, Champion Sapphire, was a five-time best cat winner, so he comes by his winning qualities honestly.

Miss J. R. Kroeh's Kilravock Meringue was named as the best female, while Mrs. Clara H. Richard's The Débutante was the best kitten. Other bests were Don Radio, best novice; Sunset Invincible, best champion, and Edward De Cernea's The Chieftain, best neuter. Miss Rosamond Pinchot's Sunset Buddie was the second best neuter and also won a blue in his class.

The show was held as a benefit for the Bide-a-Wee home and more than $700 was taken in at the door. The management hoped to realize almost as much again from other sources, including the raffling of a baby wolf-sable Pomeranian puppy donated by the Misses Champion to the fund.

Snooser Girl, the alley cat which won a ribbon on Monday, and her owner, Master Joseph Francona, were much photographed yesterday, but took no more blues.

NEW HAVEN BEATS McGILL.

Wins Rough Hockey Game at New Haven by Score of 5 to 1.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 18.—In the roughest hockey game played here this season the New Haven Bears tonight took the measure of McGill University, 5 to 1. The visiting Canadian collegians held the amateur club cracks gamely until the last period, when, with the count tied at one goal each, Mr. Shay, Sveneo, Lowrey and Armstrong penetrated the McGill defense. Bell was knocked unconscious by a collision with Armstrong and was carried from the ice. Morris was hit in the head by a flying puck and made senseless. Morris and Dempsey starred for McGill and Captain Norman Shay for the winners.

The line-up:

New Haven (5).	Pos.	McGill (1).
Cox	G	Morris
Cully	R.D.	McMahon
Armstrong	L.D.	Dempsey
S. Veno	C	McGerrigle
Lowrey	R.W.	O'Donnell
N. Shay	L.W.	McNaughton

Goals—1st, New Haven, Shay, 1:30; 2d, McGill, Glenny, 10:19; 3d, New Haven, F. Shay, 1:47; 4th, New Haven, S. Veno, 7:19; 5th, New Haven, Lowrey, 10:17; 6th, New Haven, Armstrong, 12:16.

Substitutions—New Haven: W. Veno for N. Shay, Ryan for S. Veno, Behan for N. Shay. McGill: Bell for O'Donnell, Glenny for McNaughton.

Referee—Risley. Periods—15 minutes.

HARVARD SEXTET WINS, 8-1.

Easily Beats Boston University After Coach Changes Line-Up.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—The Harvard hockey team beat Boston University at the Arena tonight by a score of 8 to 1. Each team scored a goal in the first period, but in the second, when the Harvard coach put in an entirely new team, the Crimson made four goals to set a 5-to-1 score before the second intermission.

The line-up:

HARVARD (8.)		BOSTON (1.)
Cummings	G	Hartman
Chase	F.	Kentoff
Crosby	C.P.	Provost
Walker	L.W.	Linge
Hodder	C.	Almer
Beals	R.W.	Blair

Goals—Beals (2), Harding, Hill (3), Austin, Howe, Walker, Blair.

Substitutions—Harvard: Harding for Hodder, Hill for Beals, Austin for Walker, Hammond for Crosby, Graves for Chase, Bradford for Cummings, Gardner for Harding, Pearson for Hill, Howe for Austin. Frost for Hammond, Newell for Bradford. Boston: Ashcroft for Kentoff, Kelly for Hartman, Wennsberg for Blair, McGreat for Linge.

Referee—Reynolds and Stewart. Time—Two periods—Ofstill and Beckwith. Time—Three 15-minute periods.

ALEKHINE PLAYED FORTY.

Won 35 Chess Matches, Lost 2 and Tied 3 at Boston.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 18.—Forty players took boards against Alexander Alekhine, Russian chess master, in his exhibition of simultaneous and blindfold play before the members of the City Club today. The performance lasted five hours and ten minutes, at the end of which the international expert came through with a score of 35 wins, 2 losses and 3 drawn games.

He won both of the games conducted by him blindfolded. K. O. Mott-Smith of the Harvard team was successful in winning his game from Alekhine, J. Hewins of the City Club being the other winner. The drawn games were scored by C. H. Norwood, victor in the minor tournament at Atlantic City; A. W. Daniel, and J. Putsman.

CHAJES LEADS AT CHESS.

Tops Field at Manhattan Club After Schapiro Beats Tanner.

Because of the defeat of Oscar Tanner by club champion Schapiro in the ninth round, Oscar Chajes, who drew with A. Schroeder, holds the lead in the annual championship tournament of the Manhattan Chess Club, with a half-point advantage over O. Frink Jr., D. Janowski, A. Kupchik and Tanner.

The summary of the ninth round: Schwarz, 0; Samuels, 1; Frink, ½; Janowski, ½; Kaiz, ½; Kupchik, ½; Schapiro, 1; Tanner, 0; A. Schroeder, ½; Dr. Freundlich, ½; Chajes, ½; A. Schroeder, ½.

The standing follows:

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Chajes	6½	2½	Freundlich	4½	4½
Frink	6	2	Schapiro	4	5
Janowski	6	2	A. Schroeder	3½	5½
Kupchik	6	2	M. Schroeder	3½	5½
Tanner	6	3	Samuels	3	6
Kaiz	5	4	Schwarz	1	8

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AMERICANS SAIL TO WINTER ABROAD

Veendam and President Polk Leave for Europe With Holiday Tourists.

OTHERS GO TO WEST INDIES

Carrillo Departs Today for Southern Climes—President Roosevelt Is Due Tomorrow.

Two liners sail today for Europe and one for the West Indies and Central America carrying a host of Americans hurrying away from the cold weather to spend the holidays in warmer climates. Many of the tourists intend to pass the Winter in Europe.

Sailing for Plymouth, Boulogne-sur-Mer and Rotterdam on the Holland-American liner Veendam are Baron T. Kreyendorff, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Benz, Perry G. Edwards, Miss J. M. van Leeuwen Boomkamp, Archibald R. Livingston, Miss Anna P. Livingston, T. Roxendorff, Mrs. M. L. Blake, Henry Genard, W. D. Hawks, Bartel Ulrich, Mrs. C. Cabre Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Louis N. Stix, H. J. de Lancy Meyer, Miss M. Gompertz, L. M. Kneppelhout van Sterkenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Garden, Mrs. F. S. Moody, Mrs. J. M. Moltzer and Hans Kehil.

Leaving for Queenstown, Plymouth, Cherbourg and London on the President Polk of the United States lines are Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Barks, Mrs. M. Boote, Miss Eleanor M. Dorr, Miss Rebecca S. Harris, James A. McClunn, George Rotann and Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Seeley, all of New York.

Passengers from other cities include Mrs. A. Babcock and family of Boston, Albert Friedman of Newark, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Judson Jr. of Washington, Pa.; Miss Lorraine M. Moody of Lyons, N. Y.; Miss Frances H. Shallenberger of San Francisco and Mrs. Edward F. Williams and Miss Edwina Williams of Chicago.

Going to the West Indies and Panama on the United Fruit liner Carillo are Mrs. G. C. Beach, Richard D. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. C. Berendt, John Blake, Master W. Blake, Fanto Blanco, Francis A. Burdick, Miss Theora Bush, Alfredo Camerano, Miss K. Carver, Miss Matilda Cato, Miss C. R. Chambers, C. Chonkas, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Courtney, Harold D. Corey, Mrs. Mary H. Corey, Edward L. Dodge, Dr. C. L. Dupar, Mrs. S. Edwards, Mrs. Ethel P. Ellis, Miss E. Ells, Master J. Ells, Luther Facey, Miss Helen Farguson, Charles Foster, Charles Gammaons, J. S. Glutch, Miss Irene Gerdon, Carlos E. Guerrero, E. Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. M. Herrit.

Others on board are W. Hogan, Mrs. E. J. Holly, I. Moe, William Holly, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiechler, Miss Frances Kiechler, E. La Tour, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lathan, Emil A. Larsen, F. I. Laudy, Miss Ella M. Lloyd, Miss Mabel McCooty, Miss Ruth McIntosh, Miss C. McMorrow, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mauran Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Sabin W. Miles, J. Miragias, Miss Dorcas C. Mitchell, J. Ogiatastry, G. A. Pearson, E. Phelps and R. T. Paton.

Also Mrs. Bev. V. Prond, Miss E. E. Prond, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Powers, H. I. Rahlves, A. H. Rawley, R. M. Schell, B. H. Segre, Miss R. A. Sharrard, Miss A. Smith, Miss Alberta Smith, J. H. Spiegel, W. W. Sturgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thompson, Miss Helen Tomkins, G. Troop, E. Wakely, Miss K. B. Wallace and Miss E. Williamson.

Among the passengers due tomorrow from Bremen, Cherbourg and Southampton on the President Roosevelt of the United States Lines are Mrs. Adele Schreiber, a member of the Reichstag; Edward A. Brittenham, John J. Ewart, American Vice Consul at Cologne; Heart Chalmers of the Department of Commerce and Mrs. Chalmers; Edwin H. Brower, William Hillott, tobacco manufacturer, of Henderson, Ky.; Sigmund Bergmann and family of Allenhurst, N. J., and Mrs. F. M. Randolph, wife of the manager of the London office of the Guaranty Trust Company.

Passengers who arrived yesterday from Glasgow and Moville on the Anchor liner Columbia included Peter Lawson, Major W. R. Forhan, H. I. Chase, Miss Kate Baird, Mr. and Mrs. David Aitkin, Mr. and Mrs. George Acheson, Nell Battles, Miss Elisabeth Black, James Brown and Andrew Fraser, Mrs. Christina Charteris, Miss Ruby Calder, David Keir, Robert Kerr, Miss Jean Johnston, Mrs. Margaret Page and Thomas K. Halliday.

STUDY BUILDING WAGE ROW.

Union Leaders Think Employers May Compromise on 50-Cent Rise.

At a meeting of the Building Trade Council yesterday, delegates discussed efforts of the unions affiliated with the organization to obtain an increase of $1 in the daily wages of their members.

No plan of action was decided upon in the event that the Building Trades Employers' Association maintains its refusal to grant the increase which would give journeymen $11 a day. The present agreement expires on Jan. 1. The council's last meeting of the year will be held on Dec. 27, when definite action in the matter is expected.

Fears that both employers and employes have a drawn battle of a lockout or strike. Union officials have expressed the opinion that a compromise may be effected with the tender of a daily increase of 50 cents by the employers and a two-year contract.

FILES IMMIGRATION BILL.

Senator Copeland Seeks Admission of Any Citizen's Wife.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Senator Copeland of New York today introduced a bill in the Senate providing for mandatory admission into the United States of wives of American citizens.

The bill provides that "on and after the approval of this act wives of American citizens shall be mandatorily admitted to the United States without regard to the date of marriage and without reference to quota or to any other provision of the immigration or naturalization laws."

SENDS NOTICE TO BISHOPS.

Gregory VII. Advises of His Election at Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 10.—The Holy Synod of the Greek Orthodox Church has drafted a letter to Bishop Gailor of Tennessee, Bishop Darlington of Harrisburg and Bishop Manning of New York officially informing them of the election of Gregory VII. as Patriarch of Constantinople.

Similar announcements were dispatched to the presiding Bishops of the Old Catholic Church, the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Archbishop of Upsala, Sweden.

Doctor Cleared of Contempt Charge.

Dr. Hugh A. Rodden of 447 Seventy-fifth Street, Brooklyn, was absolved from contempt of court yesterday and a fine of $250 was remitted by Supreme Court Justice Callaghan in Brooklyn. Dr. Rodden was called as a witness in a damage action brought by Miss Alice Palmer against the Nassau Electric Railroad Company. The case was postponed on Nov. 1 and then tried on Nov. 2 and a jury awarded Miss Palmer $400. Dr. Rodden was to have been a witness for Miss Palmer but failed to appear, and her counsel asked that the physician be adjudged in contempt. He said he had been in court on Nov. 1, but did not know that it was necessary for him to come back the next day. It appeared also that he never had been subpoened.

REPARATION PAYMENTS HALT HUNGARIAN LOAN.

Count Bethlen Rejects Provision for 10,000,000 Crowns Yearly —This May Be Scaled Down.

PARIS, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—The problem of reparations tonight stands out as the sole obstacle in the way of launching a financial program for the reconstruction of Hungary under the auspices of the League of Nations.

The special committee of the Council of the League which is sitting with Count Bethlen, the Hungarian Premier, and representatives of the Little Entente in an endeavor to reach an accord on details, approved today the recommendation of the Financial Committee of the League, that when the proposed Hungarian loan is floated Hungary shortly afterward should pay up to 10,000,000 gold crowns yearly on the reparation account. Count Bethlen was quick to point out that this would put Hungary on a different basis from Austria, whose reparation payments were waived for twenty years. He said he doubted if he could ask his people to accept such a reparation burden.

The Financial Committee of the League will meet again tomorrow to try and reach a compromise, and the reparation payments may be scaled down. Hungary also will be asked to put aside 7,500,000 gold crowns annually as amortization for the loan.

The Special Hungarian Committee of the Council of the League has adjourned until Thursday. The reparation problem will be handled as a special annex to the reconstruction project.

Meantime an agreement was reached today on the text of the second protocol, which provides the machinery for the loan; internal reforms and the form of control by the League.

Count Bonin-Longare, Italy's representative in the League Council, today invited the Council to hold its meeting next March in Rome, saying the Italian Government and the people desire to extend their hospitality to the Council.

ROB 2 LOAN COMPANIES WITHIN TWO HOURS

Three Cleveland Auto Bandits Work Quickly While Police Hunt Them.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 18.—Armed automobile bandits staged two loan company hold-ups within two hours here today and escaped with approximately $5,000.

The first robbery occurred at the Acme Savings and Loan Company, where the robbers held up a girl cashier and made off with approximately $900.

While the police were searching for them the same men appeared at the International Building and Loan Association's offices, where they marched six men employes and a woman into a back room. Forcing them to face Cowoward on the floor, one bandit stood guard while another obtained $4,700 from the cash drawers.

In each instance a third bandit remained in a waiting automobile, the license number of which was covered with mud.

HARMONY IN N. Y. A. C.

President Lougham and Directors Get a Vote of Confidence.

The storm threatened for last night's special meeting of the New York Athletic Club did not occur. Instead, a unanimous vote of confidence was said to have been given President Michael F. Loughman and the Board of Directors.

The feeling of dissatisfaction on the part of a group of the members arose four years ago, when it was alleged the club's constitution had been violated in the letting of contracts for the filling in of lands and the erection of a bulkhead at Travers Island, Pelham Manor, where a clubhouse and athletic field are maintained. Upon their insistence the special meeting was called.

It was said after last night's meeting that the Sinking Fund Committees' statements of the last ten years were a showing in full of the club's expenditures. The vote of confidence was then given. The proposal to erect a new clubhouse was laid on the table.

CHANGE THEIR OFFICERS.

Paper Handlers Retire Those Who Tried to Aid Outlaw Strike.

The election of officers of Paper Handlers' Union No. 1 last night was regarded by officers of the International Printing Pressmen and Assistants' Union as a vindication of the course of Major George L. Berry, President of the union, in the recent strike of newspaper pressmen.

All but one of the officers who ordered a sympathetic strike of paper handlers while the pressmen were on their outlaw strike were voted down. Thomas Gill, President, was voted down in favor of Alexander G. Hayes, who acted as agent for the international union.

George F. Travis, Secretary, was the only member of the former administration to survive the election. The other officers elected for the coming year are Joseph Barclay, Vice President, and Jeremiah O'Leary, business agent.

DECIDES FOR AMERICAN SHIP

House of Lords Reverses Verdict on a Collision.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The United States Shipping Board today won the case it had appealed to the House of Lords in connection with the collision between the American steamer West Camak and the British steamer Rowan, off Scotland, on Oct. 8, 1921, in which the Rowan was sunk and the American vessel damaged.

The Edinburgh High Court decided that the Rowan ship was blameless, but the Judges of the First District of the Court of Sessions held her to be one-third to blame. Against this decision the United States, represented by the Shipping Board, appealed to the House of Lords, which today reversed the decision of the First District Court and restored the finding of the Edinburgh tribunal, which had found the collision entirely the fault of the Rowan.

JACOB ADLER FOR SENATE.

Republicans Nominate Lawyer to Succeed Cotillo.

Jacob Arthur Adler, a lawyer of 358 Fifth Avenue, was nominated last night by the Republicans as a candidate for the State Senate from the Eighteenth District, to succeed Senator Salvatore A. Cotillo, who has been elected a Supreme Court Justice. The vacancy will be filled at an extraordinary election on Jan. 8.

Mr. Adler, who is a little over 30 years old, has never held public office, but was a candidate for the Assembly from the Eighteenth Assembly District a year ago when, despite the Smith landslide, he made a very good showing in his district, though defeated. The Senate district is normally Democratic by about 10,000. The Democrats met on Monday night and nominated Martin J. Kennedy, an insurance man, also of the Eighteenth Assembly District.

Edward E. McMahon Leaves Bank.

Edward E. McMahon, Assistant Vice President of the Irving Bank-Columbia Trust Company, resigned recently, the resignation taking effect last Saturday. It was announced yesterday by William Feick, a Vice President of the bank. Mr. Feick denied that Mr. McMahon's resignation had any connection with the recent robbery and murder of two bank messengers of the Bay Ridge Branch of the bank at Fifty-third Street and New Utrecht Avenue.

BERENGARIA BRINGS BIG CHRISTMAS MAIL

Liner Delayed Three Hours in Quarantine to Discharge Nearly 11,000 Sacks.

NOTED AIR EXPERTS ABOARD

Duke of Sutherland, British Under-Secretary, and Fokker Among 1,240 Passengers.

The Cunarder Berengaria, which arrived yesterday from Southampton and Cherbourg with 1,240 passengers of all classes, was delayed three hours in Quarantine to land nearly 11,000 sacks of Christmas mails. When Captain W. I. R. D. Irvine saw that he was going to miss the late afternoon tide at the pier he gave orders to cast off the lines of the Post Office boats and finally had to land the last 500 sacks at the pier foot of West Fourteenth Street.

Among the first cabin passengers was the Duke of Sutherland, 32 years old, Under Secretary of the Air Ministry for Great Britain, who has come over to study aviation in this country. He was received with a salute on passing Governor's Island by Colonel T. A. Baldwin of the American Air Forces.

The Duke said in speaking of aviation conditions in England: "After the World War, we scrapped our aeroplanes and now we are two years behind the rest of the world and must catch up. We want to know what America is doing in the way of developing commercial aviation."

The Duke said that England was seriously considering linking up the empire by a fleet of light and swift aircraft. The Duke added that the dirigible program of England provided for the acquisition of the rights to the Zeppelin under an outright subsidy of 400,000 pounds a year from the British Government.

Realization of this program would mean, the Duke said, that India could be reached from London in five days, Bagdad in two days and Australia in ten days. The airships on the Indian service would carry 100 persons. The problem that confronts England now is getting the helium gas. Airships of a smaller type, carrying twelve passengers and mails, would probably be in service between Canad and England next July, he said.

Another prominent aviator on the Berengaria was H. G. Fokker, the airplane manufacturer, who said he had no comment to make about reports that he would start a factory in the United States. He said that he employed 1,000 men at his plant in Amsterdam, where he turns out 400 planes a year. He operates lines from Holland to London and Amsterdam to Paris, and next year he will have a service from Copenhagen to London via Hamburg and Amsterdam.

The Duchess of Rutland, mother of Lady Diana Duff Cooper, who is engaged to play the rôle of the Madonna in "The Miracle" at the end of this month, was another arrival on the Berengaria. She was met at the pier by her daughter.

Captain Ernest Ingram and Mrs. Ingram, who was the widow of Enrico Caruso, arrived on the liner with her daughter, Gloria Caruso, and will remain here for six weeks, and then go to Rome for the rest of the Winter.

Another passenger on the Berengaria was Sir Donald Mann, one of the builders of the Canadian Northern Railroad.

The Bergenaria brought 478 first, 375 second and 375 third class passengers.

2,500 MINERS STRIKE OVER PIT ENTRY RULE

Reading Company Barred Men From Shafts Till Work Hour— Walkout Is Spreading.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Dec. 18.—A strike, which has tied up the North Franklin and Bear Valley collieries here since Dec. 7, threatened to develop into a general walkout at all mines owned by the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company when employes of the Burnside mine today joined in the walkout in protest against a recent order of the company prohibiting night shift workers from entering the mines before 2 o'clock in the afternoon, their regular starting hour.

Union leaders declared tonight that mine workers at two other Reading collieries in this district would join the strike unless the new ruling was rescinded. More than 2,500 men are idle as a result of the strike, which means a production loss of many thousands of tons a day.

DOCTOR SUES DORIS KENAE.

Asks $20,085 for Operation She Cancelled—She Demands $50,000.

Papers were filed in the Supreme Court yesterday in a suit by Dr. Charles F. A. Locke against Doris Keane, actress, for $20,085, in which Miss Keane counter-claims against Dr. Locke for $50,000 damages.

Dr. Locke alleges he went to Paris on April 22 to perform an operation on Miss Keane and that he prepared her for the operation and procured a hospital room. He alleges that she went to London on April 25 and had the operation performed there by another surgeon, although he remained in Paris until May 6.

Miss Keane alleges in her answer that the agreement to have Dr. Locke operate on her in Paris was void because the French law forbids a foreigner to practice there unless he has a French diploma. She says also it was a Mrs. Melville, a friend of Dr. Locke, who sent for him, and that he took his family to France on a pleasure trip, and then attempted to extort $20,000 from her. She alleges that her mental and physical state were further impaired by Dr. Locke's acts, and that to avoid his demands she was compelled to go to England.

BRUCE DEFERS VISIT HERE.

Australian Premier, Detained in London, Is Expected on Jan. 29.

Premier S. M. Bruce of Australia, who was expected in New York on Jan. 8, has postponed his visit owing to imperial business prolonging his stay in London, it was announced yesterday at the office of the Australian Commissioner here. Mr. Bruce, it was said, will arrive in New York on Jan. 29. After a stay of two days he will leave for Ottawa, and, traveling across Canada to Vancouver, will sail for Australia on Feb. 6.

Announcing his change of plans by cable, Mr. Bruce said:

"All Australians are keenly interested in the United States, and I was particularly anxious to study the progress America has made in solving problems common to all democracies. I therefore deeply regret that it will not be possible for me to visit several other American cities as I had originally planned."

OPIUM DEN FOUND ON ENRIGHT'S SHIP

Dr. Simon Scented Drug When He Went Aboard to Greet the Commissioner.

RAIDS VESSEL NEXT NIGHT

Nineteen Chinese Found Smoking Are Arrested—$10,000 Worth of Narcotics Found.

Police Commissioner Richard E. Enright came back from a month's vacation in Bermuda aboard a ship that, far below decks was a drug addict's paradise, according to Dr. Carleton Simon, Special Deputy Police Commissioner in charge of the narcotic division. But if the Commissioner suspected what was going on near him, he failed to mention it when the Fort St. George of the Furness Bermuda line tied up at Fifty-fifth Street and the North River on Monday and Dr. Simon appeared with others of Enright's official family to welcome him back.

Dr. Simon, his eyes more sharply trained for that particular sort of police work, recognized among some of the Chinese coal passers who came up on deck for air men who had been in custody in New York for having and smoking opium. Unnoticed, the Special Deputy strolled away from the group chatting gaily on deck, reached the forward companionway leading to the crew's quarters in the fo'castle and took one long whiff of the air coming up from below. Then, close-mouthed, he rejoined the welcomers clustered about Mr. Enright and Special Deputy Rhinelander Waldo and their wives.

What his eyes and his nose had told him Dr. Simon communicated to Lieutenant Joseph Mooney and Sergeant Barney Boylan of his own staff. They went to the ship last night with fourteen of their men, sought out Captain William Davis and told their suspicions. Captain Davis scoffed at the suspicion of any such practice aboard his ship, but said if the policemen thought they had good grounds for believing the law was being violated they were welcome to look.

Chinese Smoking Opium.

The sixteen marshaled themselves at the fo'castle gangway and then went hustling down in a body. In twenty-eight bunks in three tiers far up in the ship's nose they found twenty Chinamen. The air was thick with opium fumes; the smoke muffled the dim lights. Every porthole was tightly closed. In the bunks were twenty Chinamen, puffing at sixteen opium pipes, two men in some bunks taking turns at a pipe. There was a wild scramble, but no place to run. Soon the scampering, chattering Chinamen had been rounded up. One or two had to be carried to the deck. One or two could not be moved at all and were left in their bunks under police guard. One of the twenty was found not to indulge in the drug. The other nineteen were placed under arrest charged with having and smoking opium.

Found $10,000 Worth of Drugs.

The policemen then began a search of the coal passers' quarters. Hidden behind iron braces, crammed into seamen's lockers, stuffed in crevices and thrust under bedding, they said they found $10,000 worth of crude opium in quarter-pound chunks, a half-pound of cocaine and sixteen tin pails in which pieces of opium were soaking. In addition to the pipes they got sets of yen gow and yen hock, the wire tools used for rolling opium pills.

Prisoners and drugs were taken to Police Headquarters. Several of those seized, the police said, were visitors from Chinatown. They declared that other visitors had come and gone before the raid and that some of the Chinese belonging to the vessel were absent on shore leave when they arrived.

According to the police Captain Davis was worried by the sudden loss of so many of his men, but hoped to muster a complete crew in time for the vessel to make its regular sailing for Bermuda today.

3 WOMEN SENT TO JAIL.

A Fourth Shoplifter Is Released on Suspended Sentence.

Three women received jail terms for shoplifting in Special Sessions yesterday, and another was released on a suspended sentence after having been a prisoner in the Tombs for twelve days.

Anna Lindenbaum, 30 years old, 57 Second Avenue, was sentenced to thirty days for stealing a silk bag valued at $7.50. Reida Nolan, 26, of 615 West 138th Street, and May Banjamin, 25, of 608 West 140th Street, were fined $50 each and sent to the Tombs for five days for stealing hosiery, underwear and a dress. Marie Shadika, 313 Fifth Street, admitted stealing a dress, but sentence was suspended.

57 TICKET BROKERS LISTED FOR ARREST

Banton Preparing for a Drive to End Gouging on Theatre Seats.

IS SENDING OUT BUYERS

Asks Public to Take Data on All Sales Where Commission Exceeds 50 Cents.

Theatre ticket speculators who attempt to evade the law by charging for "expenses" in addition to the commission of 50 cents on a ticket permitted by law will be prosecuted, District Attorney Banton announced last evening. He said that he expected the arrest of one speculator before the end of the week, which would be the beginning of a drive to stop violations of the ticket speculating law before the end of the year.

The prosecutor said that he had been informed that a small percentage of the ticket speculators in this city were continuing to ignore the law, and added: "This bunch of buzzards are not going to get away with it any longer." He said that it was his intention to proceed immediately against ticket brokers who had not obtained licenses, as required by law, as well as those who had complied, but who have been found charging more than 50 cents commission.

Mr. Banton said that Assistant District Attorney Miles M. O'Brien, with a force of detectives, had been quietly investigating reports of violations. He explained that if persons who had been overcharged by speculators would come to Mr. O'Brien with complaints, the ending of the abuse would be more easily accomplished.

"My plan is to prosecute for every single violation of the law," Mr. Banton continued. "This may sound drastic, but it is the one way to break up the practice of overcharging. Patrons of theatres who are overcharged can help," he said, "by taking the name of the broker from whom they buy tickets, the name of his salesman, and make a memorandum of the price paid for each ticket, and, after using it, keep the stub, so that it later can be used as evidence. We are going to send out men and women to buy tickets, and in every instance where we find a violation we will immediately begin prosecution. We have one case practically complete for an arrest now."

It was said that thus far Mr. O'Brien had compiled a list of fifty-seven ticket speculators suspected of violating the law, and it was expected that this list would be increased to about seventy-five before the end of the year. It was understood that all of these men would be haled before Magistrates within the next twelve days.

"Nineteen ticket brokers have guaranteed not only to obey the law as to the charge for tickets," said Mr. Banton, "but have declared that, if the Court of Appeals upholds the ticket broker licensing ordinance, they will pay their 1923 license fee as well. There are five other ticket brokers who have always obeyed the law in all particulars."

Two ticket speculators were arrested on disorderly conduct charges in front of the Metropolitan Opera House yesterday afternoon and fined $50 each. They were accused of annoying persons by accosting them in front of the Opera House.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

New York Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Ninety-nine new incorporations with an aggregate capitalization of $2,646,000 were chartered today. They include:

Manrige Construction Co., Brooklyn, $5,000; Manrige, P. E. Rigo, M. Kaminsky. (Attorney, S. S. Haiben, 305 Broadway.)

1,158 Fifth Av., Manhattan, realty, 500 shares common stock, no par value; G. W. Reilly, J. Christie, C. C. Wood. (Attorneys, White & Case, 14 Wall St.)

Chapman & Michaelsen, Manhattan, building, $25,000; G. W. Chapman, P. B. Michaelsen. (Attorney, J. Strieker, Astoria.)

Ferrule Specialty Co., Manhattan, $10,000; A. and P. Hirsh, W. Friedman. (Attorney, R. Honig, 15 Park Row.)

Pocket Brassiere Co., Manhattan, realty, $20,000; L. Sherman, S. Eisenberg, E. H. Taussig. (Attorneys, Teitelbaum & Jay, 305 Broadway.)

McGregor Holding Corp., Saratoga, realty, $500; G. Vandeusen, N. E. Walt. (Attorney, C. H. Knapp, Saratoga.)

Star Machine Tool and Die Works, Manhattan, $3,000; A. Godos, B. May. (Attorneys, Kirk & Diamond, 305 Broadway.)

Harmil Realty and Holding Co., Manhattan, $20,000; D. I. Golstein, M. Salpeter. (Attorney, P. Goldfarb, 302 Broadway.)

W. and B. Construction Co. Brooklyn, $40,000; H. J. Sondheim, H. A. Cone, A. T. Rook. (Attorneys, Alexander, Cohn & Sondheim, 51 Chambers St.)

Drew Co., Manhattan, $5,000; N. Vecchiotti, S. Nicosia. (Attorney, A. De Cicco, 132 Nassau St.)

Hentschel Bros., Brooklyn, vehicles, $10,000; A. and L. and W. J. Hentschel. (Attorneys, Tipple & Pitt, 150 Nassau St.)

Bourse & Co., Manhattan, insurance, 100 shares common stock, no par value; W. A. Bourse Jr., J. F. Baker, J. R. Truesdale. (Attorneys, Truesdale, Nicoll, Falk & Gale, 149 Broadway.)

Lombros Realty Corp., Manhattan, $20,000; H. and P. and W. Lomberg. (Attorney, A. Honig, 25 West 43d St.)

Super Statement Co., Manhattan, stationery, $5,000; S. Becher, L. Strauss, P. Katz. (Attorney, S. Bersik, 276 5th Av.)

Winchester Soap Co., Buffalo, $10,000; H. A. Brown, H. S. Mallue. (Attorney, A. Fybush, Buffalo.)

Forest Hills-Kew Gardens Publishing Co., Forest Hills, 100 shares common stock, no par value, $00 preferred, $10 each; G. E. Fahys Jr., J. H. Hare, N. James. (Attorneys, O'Brien, Boardman, Parker & Fox, 120 Broadway.)

Republic Pictures, Manhattan, $5,000; E. and I. and L. Mass. (Attorney, A. E. Rale, 32 Beaver St.)

44 West Fourteenth St. Co., Manhattan, realty, $10,000; M. and S. H. Rosenberg, E. G. Ginsberg. (Attorney, J. T. Berman, 346 Broadway.)

Amsterdam Electricians, Manhattan, $10,000; M. and Kline, G. Rosenberg. (Attorneys, Feinstein & Rosenberg, 154 Broadway.)

Chicmaid Hat Manufacturing Co., Buffalo, $50,000; L. Gross, L. Sackovitz, J. E. Staff. (Attorney, J. Wilkinson, Buffalo.) 27

Hopkins & Ingram, Brooklyn, motor vehicles, $2,500; W. L. and P. Hopkins, J. A. Ingram. (Attorney, S. Schleimer, 306 Broadway.)

Mattis, Moyer & Co., Manhattan, business agents, $100,000; J. Mills, E. B. Moyer, H. P. Wilson. (Attorneys, J. Mills & Co., 122 West 42d St.)

J. and M. Construction Co., Brooklyn, $25,000; B. S. Minkin, M. Chutick, A. Schwartz. (Attorney, S. S. Schwartz, 44 Court St., Brooklyn.)

Fur Dressing Shop, Manhattan, $10,000; R. Horn, G. Sirota, R. Zuckerman. (Attorney, B. F. Steinberg, 752 Broadway.)

Preston-Dunmore Corp., Johnson City, motor vehicles, $25,000; P. Co. and B. W. Dunmore, L. J. Preston. (Attorney, R. W. Meeker, Binghamton.)

A Grade Cafeteria, Manhattan, $10,000; A. Zoldichuk, M. Dziedzic, S. W. Fleischer. (Attorneys, H. S. Fleischer, 1,767 Madison Av.)

S. W. Holding Co., Brooklyn, realty, $10,000; S. Wolling, S. Brill, F. E. Stouvenel. (Attorney, E. Soloway, 26 Court St., Brooklyn.)

Holland Properties, Buffalo, realty, $20,000; D. C. Trubee, W. C. Smallbach, F. Schoepflin. (Attorney, J. C. Baecher, Buffalo.)

Clibank Securities Corp., Manhattan, 1,500 shares common stock, no par value; H. S. Hanges, W. Cunningham, H. A. Ingraham. (Attorneys, Austin, McLanashan, Merritt & Ingraham, 42 Broadway.)

President Homes Builders, Brooklyn, $10,000; A. Jr., A. and A. M. Ackerman. (Attorney, L. Linker, 50 Court St., Brooklyn.)

D. & C. Trading Co., Brooklyn, household articles, $3,000; J. S. Dubroff, M. Garshikow, J. Dubroff. (Attorney, D. Gets, 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.)

John-Eis Corp., Manhattan, realty, $3,000; J. and A. M. Acker, E. M. Hoffman. (Attorney, E. J. Krug Jr., 2,804 3d Av.)

Southern Winding Board Co., Brooklyn, cloth boards, $50,000; J. Mitchell, J. G. Meyer.

Brenner Langdon Motor Co., Manhattan, $10,000; H. A. Brenner, D. Richman, R. M. Langdon. (Attorneys, Joseph & Zeamans, 1,834 Broadway.)

Ace Auto Wrecking Corp., Bronx, motor vehicles, $4,000; M. and S. Klein, M. Cohen. (Attorney, M. A. Helfat, 44 Court St., Brooklyn.)

A. H. Bendheim & Co., Manhattan, jewelers, $60,000; A. H. Bendheim, B. Supon. (Attorney, D. Weinstein, 366 Broadway.)

Henry Frank Jr., Manhattan, hardware, $100,000; H. Frank, A. Frank. (Attorney, J. T. Booth, 1,442 Woolworth Building.)

Edari Realty Corp., Manhattan, hotels, $50,000; I. Wiener, J. Sapir. (Attorney, J. D. Goodstein, 49 Broadway.)

Brayshows Laundry, Hempstead, $20,000; C. M. and F. J. and C. M. Davis Jr. (Attorney, A. J. Clark, 820 Jefferson Av., Brooklyn.)

Berba Corp., Manhattan, printers, 5,000 shares common stock, no par value; S. and E. R. Barton, C. P. Randall. (Attorneys, Baldwin, Hutchins & Todd, 120 Broadway.)

Phil Cohen, Manhattan, women's dresses, $10,000; P. and S. Cohen, S. Gershenson. (Attorney, D. B. Greller, 299 Broadway.)

Golden-Leutz, Manhattan, make motors, $30,000; H. Rising, C. R. Neal. (Attorney, R. Sweezy, 50 Pine St.)

S. E. A. Realty Corp., Manhattan, 20 shares common stock, no par value; A. E. and K. Sheridan. (Attorney, F. X. Kelley, 391 East 149th St.)

Hill Top Development Co., Richmond, realty, 400 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 500 common, no par value; C. E. Clark, C. G. Kolff, A. B. Lucas. (Attorney, A. E. Hadlock, 111 Broadway.)

Boston Road Auto Sales Corp., Bronx, $20,000; H. Isenberg, A. Kaplan, L. A. Jacobs. (Attorneys, Goldstein & Walder, 1,133 Broadway.)

Hugh A. Schroeder & Co., Manhattan, wearing apparel, $50,000; S. Reich, M. Borman, C. Planick. (Attorneys, Hays & Shulman, 50 East 42d St.)

Faneuil Building Corp., Manhattan, $5,000; H. Raskin, M. H. and J. Locke. (Attorney, M. Stein, 1790 Pitkin Building, Brooklyn.)

Corning Sanitary Market, Corning, $10,000; P. W. Rose, C. B. Krowl, H. J. Kessler. (Attorneys, Cheney & Costello, Corning.)

Cornelius G. Kolff, Richmond, realty, $25,000; C. G. Kolff, A. B. Lucas, L. W. Kaufmann. (Attorney, A. E. Hadlock, 111 Broadway.)

Fox & Braverman, Far Rockaway, garage, $10,000; A. and S. Fox, M. Braverman. (Attorneys, D. Enenholz & Pike, Rockaway Beach.)

Franklin Composing Co., Manhattan, printers, $10,000; J. P. and L. M. O'Connor, E. Schroeder. (Attorney, B. D. Leich, 2 Rector St.)

Yale Graduate Placement Bureau, Manhattan, 1,000 shares common stock, no par value; P. E. Cowan, A. H. Frey, C. M. Clay. (Attorneys, Simpson, Thacher & Bartlett, 62 Cedar St.)

American Press Cut Service co., Manhattan, advertising, 100 shares common stock, no par value; E. S. Paradise, W. D. Carns, L. L. Kahn. (Attorneys, Lamb, Leverritt, Riegelman, Carns & Goetz, 129 Broadway.)

Tivad Realty Corp., Manhattan, 1,000 shares preferred stock, $4.40 each; 2,000 common, $2.20 each; active capital, $10,000; H. Kalman, A. Dattle, A. A. Falk. (Attorneys, Kaye, McDavitt & Scholer, 149 Broadway.)

Fort Washington Towers, Manhattan, realty, 200 shares common stock, no par value; E. Baldwin, E. N. Sanctuary, D. C. Scott. (Attorney, W. J. Dodge, 66 Broadway.)

Clinton Cafeteria, Manhattan, $25,000; C. Zatmajian, D. Anshalian, A. Syrigias. (Attorney, 160 Broadway.)

Keystone Wood Products Co., Manhattan, $30,000; B. M. Weiff, H. B. Muller, L. M. Baum. (Attorneys, Frudenberg & Mattuck, 522 5th Av.)

B. Brager, Manhattan, fixtures, $1,000; C. and J. and I. Brager. (Attorneys, Levinson & Fleischer, 277 Broadway.)

Rector Mortgage Corp., Manhattan, realty, 1,000 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 2,000 common, no par value; H. Shea, J. H. Buck. (Attorney, J. Kevo, 2 Rector St.)

Bee-Ell Building Corp., Bronx, $10,000; B. and D. Levine, L. Seligson. (Attorneys, Littner & Seligson, 277 Broadway.)

Camp Tanaqua, Manhattan, country camps, 50 shares common stock, no par value; F. H. Cooper, W. A. Knight, C. P. Schroetter. (Attorneys, Foley & Martin, 64 Wall St.)

Solar Realty Co., Manhattan, 100 shares common stock, no par value; C. A. Houston, N. Fendrick, M. Bressler. (Attorneys, Ottenberg, Steinher & Houston, 200 5th Av.)

Amsterdam Business Finance Co., Manhattan, $50,000; J. Chanin, D. Naihan, E. Lipkin. (Attorney, I. Jacobson, 362 5th Av.)

J. Decamp & Co., Manhattan, stocks and bonds, 500 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 1,000 common, no par value; C. E. Mack, J. A. Decamp. (Attorney, M. Steiner, 222 Fulton St.)

R. J. Sheridan & Co., Manhattan, yarns, 500 shares common stock, no par value; R. J. Sheridan, W. A. Cunningham, B. Botler. (Attorneys, White & Case, 14 Wall St.)

Steinstand Trading Co., Manhattan, raw skins, 2,000 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 2,000 common, no par value; S. J. Steiner, S. A. Fleishanok, M. J. Mayer. (Attorneys, Goldsmith & Rosenthal, 1,476 Broadway.)

Resas, Manhattan, radio, $10,000; J. A. Crowe, W. J. MacLeod, F. Foley. (Attorneys, J. F. Shea, 63 West 42d St.)

Pennant Tire & Rubber Co., Manhattan, $300,000; A. Zimmerman, A. M. Levy, J. C. Robb. (Attorney, F. J. Knorr, Albany.)

Windsor Magazine Co., Manhattan, $10,000; M. R. Martin, A. J. Palmer, J. R. Meaney. (Attorney, J. C. Watson, Albany.)

Governors Realtors Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; F. D. Benson, A. Brooks, A. B. Claffey. (Attorney, J. McLaren, Tribune Bldg.)

Judicious Realty Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; same as preceding.

Mount Vernon Distributing Co., Manhattan, certificates for liquors, $10,000; L. and J. Sachrach, R. K. Holsten. (Attorneys, S. R. Lash, 208 West 40th St.)

Clemson Saw Co., Middletown, $1,000,000; H. N. and R. D. Clemson, W. E. Gross. (Attorneys, Cornell, Lockwood & Jeffery, 2 Rector St.)

Varnol Chemical Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; E. Klug, S. H. Sternberg, G. Weintraub. (Attorney, G. J. Rosen, 233 Broadway.)

Senior Realtors Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; P. D. Benson, A. Brooks, A. E. Claffey. (Attorney, J. McLaren, Tribune Building.)

Jurists Realty Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; same as preceding.

N. Tadross & Co., Manhattan, rugs and carpets, $300,000; N. and L. Tadross, A. H. Gleason. (Attorneys, M. Hastings & Gleason, 256 Broadway.)

Empro Holding Corp., Manhattan, $20,000; A. Backitt, S. Poses, R. Dolgin. (Attorney, B. Braun, 1 Madison Av.)

CAPITAL INCREASES.

Friedman Bros. & Sons Neckwear Co., Manhattan, $250,000 to $500,000.

Feiris, Buhler & Co., Manhattan, $3,500

BUSINESS WORLD

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday...4¾@5 per cent. for the best names Monday.....4¾@5 per cent. for the best names The quotations are for six months' paper.

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Underwear to Have Big Advance.

Prices on Fall lines of cotton knit underwear will show an advance of 20 per cent., according to the consensus of opinion of the knit group of the Associated Knit Underwear Manufacturers of America. This was outlined at their meeting at the Old Colony Club in the Waldorf-Astoria on Monday evening, when thirty-five manufacturers, representing 80 per cent. of the production of heavy knit underwear, were present. Some Fall lines have been opened already, but the majority will open between now and Jan. 1. Higher prices for cotton because of the crop shortage are responsible for the advance. Yarns which cost 35 cents per pound last year now cost 50 cents per pound. Curtailed production is expected, owing to the difficulty of some knitters in getting yarns. One of the lines already opened is sold up for the first six months of next year.

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Less Retail Gain in November.

Department store sales for November had a 5½ per cent. average increase over the same month last year, according to the sales barometer of the National Retail Dry Goods Association. This gain compares with increases of 10 per cent. in October and 6 per cent. in September. Continued unseasonable weather in most parts of the country is held responsible in some measure for the smaller gain during the past month. By districts, the largest individual gain was in the Atlanta one, which led with a 14¾ per cent. increase. Chicago was second with 9 per cent., with the San Francisco district following with 7 per cent. The New York, Philadelphia and Cleveland districts all had a gain of 5 per cent. The smallest gain was reported from the Kansas City section, which had an increase of 2.5 per cent.

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Await More Ribbon Buying.

Following the turn of the year, ribbon manufacturers here look for more active buying on the part of the cutting-up trades. So far, the purchasing by garment manufacturers for the Spring season has been comparatively small. It is still early, however, and the feeling is that orders will come in later on. The trouble appears to be, according to one ribbon wholesaler, that the cutters seem to feel that they can fill their ribbon needs at any time, despite the indications that ribbons will be used more extensively for dress garniture. Buying by retailers lately has been quiet, they having covered most of their requirements in November. Narrow ribbons, particularly some of the metal novelties, have been in best demand.

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Worsted Yarns Are Quiet.

While some new business was placed in worsted weaving and knitting yarns during the last week, the market is generally marking time and is expected to do so until the turn of the year. Spinners continue to comment on the strength of the wool market. There is still the hampering influence of offerings of standard yarns at prices below wool replacement values. Another handicap to fine yarn spinners is the small amount of fine Australian wools left in the market. They say that it is impossible to contract for any sizeable quantities. While men's wear yarns are slow, there is some improvement noted in these descriptions. More inquiries are reported for dress goods yarns, of which there have been scattered sales lately. While yarns for the outerwear trade are not in as strong request generally as they were, certain sections, notably the West and the Middle West, are sending in an increased number of inquiries.

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Must Force Holiday Business.

The outstanding thing about holiday business in the Middle West, as it affects women's garments of the gift variety, is that the consumer demand is not up to normal. Stores that are forcing this business are getting it at considerable cost, according to a leading executive who has just returned from a "handshaking" trip through that section, but those that are merely waiting for it to develop are getting left. This is especially true, he said, of such lines as blouses, silk underwear and women's sweaters. Even when business is forced, the bulk of it is obtained on the more popular-priced lines, and only the fact that stocks in general are fairly "clean" will prevent serious losses in more cases than one. As it is, the executive in question said yesterday, preparations are under way for some of the biggest January sales ever held in that part of the country.

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Fibres to Lead for Spring?

Judging from reports emanating from manufacturers of women's novelty sweaters, fibre silk garments of this kind will lead the Spring demand, with mixtures of mohair and fibre silk coming next. These reports also indicate that the sleeveless golf jackets of last season will be supplanted by novelty effects in slipovers and jacquettes. Strong efforts are being made to push the former, from all accounts, and the new models will embody many novelty treatments. One important change is that they will be made up without sashes. New methods of finishing fibre silk yarns, which are said greatly to improve the appearance of the completed garment, are in good part responsible for the prediction that sweaters made of these yarns will top the mode for Spring.

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Gray Goods Were Dull.

Trading in gray goods here yesterday was even quieter than on Monday and, unless some marked and unexpected change occurs in cotton, nothing of importance is looked for this week. For that matter, any further buying activity this year is said to hinge on developments in cotton. Prices generally were nominal yesterday, with some second hands offering goods in a limited way at prices from a quarter to a half cent under the asking prices of the mills. Printcloth offerings from second hands were based on 11 to 11¼ cents for 39½-inch 64-60s, with few goods of that construction available at the former figure. For 38½-inch 60-48s the best that could be done was 9¾ cents. That price was asked for 36-inch 5.50-yard sheetings.

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Can't Always Trade Down.

That it does not always pay to put your best foot forward was recently proved to a certain department store buyer by his own experience. At the front of his department, which carries garments of the gift type, he had tables showing different high-priced articles attractively boxed and prominently labeled "Holiday suggestions." These garments averaged $20 to $25 in price. Back of them were placed groups of merchandise ranging in "steps" down to about $5. To get to them, the prospective customer had to pass the better stuff and, if she had had a $5 article in mind, it looked so poor by comparison with the other she had seen that she bought none of them. After noting sale after sale lost in this way, the buyer reversed the arrangement of the stocks. In this way his clerks not only sold the woman with $5 to spend, but found it relatively easy to make sales of $10 and $15 goods to women who wanted something fairly nice.

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Importance of January Sales.

Much of value showing consumer buying tendencies for the new year, it is believed, will be indicated in the results of the January sales. With the sentimental stimulus swelling the current holiday purchasing by the public inoperative at that time, the opinion is expressed that the sales next month will afford a good index of what the stores may expect. Accordingly, greater stress is being placed by retailers on these events, and close prices are expected to be named that will mean much in the way of retail competition. Moreover, the turnover gotten may be a factor for or against more liberal wholesale orders during the first three months of the year, as retailers have held their stocks down to a limit, described as almost "the starvation point."

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The Rush Was Not Great.

The last-minute rush for goods on the part of silk hosiery buyers for stores in the metropolitan district that had been predicted in certain quarters of the wholesale trade has failed to materialize. There has been more or less filling-in of broken lots, but most of it has been on novelties or special "numbers" not ordinarily stocked in a large way, and the business done in this manner has been disappointing in the aggregate. While much of this trading has been done on women's goods and with the specialty shops, it was said yesterday that the call for men's silk hose is relatively larger. In fact, the consumer demand for these goods was said to have taken more than one buyer by surprise.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

AKRON—M. O'Neil & Co.; A. J. Wilson, Miss H. Konrad, coats, suits, dresses; 1,115 B'way (E. M. Bostman).

ALBANY, N. Y.—Sporborg Millinery Co.: Harold Sporborg, immediate and Spring hats; 20 W. 36th (J. Alexander).

ALBANY, Pa.—Hofmayer D. G. Co.; M. Bluethe, silks, dress goods; 43 Leonard (F. J. Silesha).

ALLENTOWN, Pa.—The Adams Co.; D. Kline, miss. manager, ready-to-wear; Pennsylvania.

ALLENTOWN, Pa.—The F. Heinz Co.; Mrs. D. Guinther, ready-to-wear; 352 4th Av. (Kirby, Block & Fischer).

BALTIMORE—American Wholesale Corp. (Baltimore Bargain House); B. Hernstein, silk dresses for Spring; 354 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—The Mub; Miss H. Stein, children's, juniors' wear; Miss S. Goodman, dresses; 1,136 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

BALTIMORE—Daniel Miller Co.; C. Hogendorf, silks, dress goods; 72 Leonard (H. W. Pittsburgh, Inc.).

BALTIMORE—Alamac Garment Co.; Mr. Harris, Spring dresses, coats, jobs children's coats; 1,261 B'way (Harris & Watdick).

BALTIMORE—Columbia Shirt Waist Co.; C. Cohn, mfrs. shirt waists; Imperial.

BALTIMORE—Gold Stores; L. Gold, jobs better kind fur-trimmed coats, squirrel, beaver, platinum wolf; 866 5th Av., Room 1112.

BALTIMORE—The Hub; H. J. Tarshis, ready-to-wear; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

BALTIMORE—Hutzler Bros. Co.; H. Oppenheimer, coats, suits, furs; Mrs. A. L. Hansch, coats, suits; 352 4th Av. (Kirby, Block & Fischer).

BALTIMORE—D. S. Wallerstein; W. Horst, hats, trimmed and untrimmed; Collingwood.

BALTIMORE—Daniel Miller Co.; W. U. Starkey, hosiery, gloves, sweaters, furnishings; 72 Leonard (H. W. Pittsburgh).

BALTIMORE—F. W. Walsh, women's apparel; Imperial.

BOSTON—Conrad & Co.; Mrs. F. Daniels, waists; 422 4th Av. (M. Bernstein).

BOSTON—Chandler & Co.; Miss N. Keller, misses' inexpensive dresses, medium priced; 360 Madison Av.

BOSTON—Butler's; J. R. Griffin, ready-to-wear; J. F. Murphy, ladies' coats; 352 4th Av. (Kirby, Block & Fischer).

BOSTON—F. F. Hovey Co.; Miss A. Golding, jobs knitted suits, sweaters, blouses; 225 5th Av., Room 611.

BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; Miss M. Long, women's gowns; 422 4th Av.

BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co. Upstairs—E. Lahty, laces; F. Coleman, black dress goods, dress goods; Miss M. B. Selden, embroideries; Mr. Pierce, representing basement; Miss Jones, laces; 433 4th Av.

BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co. Upstairs—Miss Stack, representing, coats, suits, Bassment—Miss Lynch, petticoats, bathrobes; Mrs. Geary, waists; Miss Hickey, corsets, brassieres; Miss McAuliffe, sweaters, skirts; Miss Dart, infants' wear; Miss Williams, hosiery, gloves, silk and knit underwear; Miss Callahan, silk and muslin underwear; Miss Sullivan, girls' junior millinery; Mr. Goldberg, men's furnishings; Mr. McGlinty, boys' furnishings; Mr. Ring, women's, misses' dresses; Mr. Retter, women's, misses' coats, suits; Mr. Tobey, shoes; Mr. Quinn, boys' clothing; Mrs. J. J. O'Brien, leather goods, jewelry; Mr. Dutch, division manager; 225 5th Av.

BOSTON — Gilchrist Co. Upstairs — Mr. Leonard, millinery; 360 5th Av., Room 602.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; H. Ratell, coats, dresses, 2-piece knitted suits, basement; 200 5th Av., Room 602.

BOSTON—Enterprise Cloak Co.; A. Bloch, women's wearing apparel; Pennsylvania.

BOSTON—Ed Goldman & Co.; E. Goldman, mfrs. ducks; Pennsylvania.

BOSTON—Chandler & Co.; G. F. Johnson, furs; 360 Madison Av.

BOSTON—Gordon, Friedlander & Levin; Mr. Friedlander, I. Levin, women's, misses' silk, sport and afternoon dresses; Miss Kahn, Bassment—Boston Reliable Petticoat Co.; S. Andrews, silks, cbtons, radiums, jerseys, trimmings; 200 5th Av., Room 518.

BOSTON—Berman Tailoring Co.; L. H. Berman, woolens; Brostell.

BRIDGEPORT—D. M. Read Co.; Miss A. Knapp, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

BUFFALO—J. N. Adam & Co.; E. J. Muller, silks, velvets, dress goods; 16 W. 36th.

BUFFALO—Wm. Hengerer Co.; A. J. Sutton, specialty dresses; suits 16 W. 39th.

BUFFALO—L. L. Berger Co.; Mrs. C. R. Chisholm, coats, suits, waists; 370 7th Av. (H. C. Lyon); Pennsylvania.

CAMDEN, N. J.—Ladies' Bazaar; L. Wishnefsky, Spring mdse.; 115 W. 30th (S. Seiff & Co.).

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—S. Oberlan, ready-to-wear; Pennsylvania.

CHICAGO—Central Merchandise Co.; P. Jacobs, dry goods, general mdse. and closeouts; McAlpin.

CHICAGO—Komiss & Greene; Miss Marnes, better dresses; 1,182 B'way (L. Levitan).

CHICAGO—Colonial Frock Co.; R. A. May, better grade sport, novelty dresses (jobber); 100 W. 23d (Sales Co. of America).

CHICAGO—Malous Bros.; Miss Silver, sport wear, dresses, infants' wear; 62 W. 36th (Straub Co.).

CHICAGO—Related Cloak Co.; S. Bilsky, jobs Fall coats; 115 W. 30th (S. Seiff & Co.).

CHICAGO—Julius Rosenberg; H. J. Rosenberg, jobs Fall coats; 115 W. 30th (S. Seiff & Co.).

CINCINNATI—Alms & Doepke Co.; G. W. Freyhof, carpets, rugs; 350 7th Av.

CLEVELAND—The Bailey Co.; J. Gorney, jobs Northern seal trimmed opossum, muskrat and striped marmot; 1,372 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

CLEVELAND—Hoyle & Rarick; W. J. Weber, jobs ladies' coats, better grade dresses, party dresses; 134 W. 32d (L. Weber & Co.).

COLUMBUS—The Emporium; J. Goldberg, mdse. mgr.; 100 W. 32d (J. A. Hersberg).

COLUMBUS—F. & R. Lazarus & Co.; Miss C. Chary, women's and misses' dresses; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

DALLAS—Lichtenstein & Mittenthal; L. Lichtenstein, ornaments; 50 W. 36th (J. Alexander).

DALLAS—Hoyle & Rarick; W. J. Weber, jobs ladies' coats, better grade dresses, party dresses; 134 W. 32d (L. Weber & Co.).

DES MOINES—Younker Bros.; B. Feltman, ready-to-wear (sales purposes); J. Levin, jobs muslin underwear (basement); A. Stern, men's furnishings (January sales); 44 W. 28th (J. Faust).

DETROIT—Crowley, Milner & Co.; J. D. Low, jobs silk dresses; M. Patten, men's 1 and 2 pant suits, overcoats; 88 W. 32d, Room 1101.

DETROIT—Russell Co.; N. Glass, coats, suits, skirts; 370 7th Av. (Wm. Gross & Co.).

DETROIT—Hoyle & Rarick; W. J. Weber, jobs ladies' coats, better grade dresses, party dresses; 134 W. 32d (L. Weber & Co.).

DETROIT—Ide Millinery Co.; A. Landau, millinery; Claridge.

FALL RIVER—R. A. McWhirr Co.; A. Mickerson, silks, dress goods; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

FORT WAYNE, Ind.—Fleisman's; B. B. Fishman, ready-to-wear; 370 7th Av. (Wm. Gross & Co.).

FORT WAYNE, Ind.—Pollack Waist Co.; H. H. Pollack, piece goods; Pennsylvania.

GALESBURG, Ill.—Jetta B. Chase, dresses; 62 W. 36th (M. Taub & Co.).

HAMILTON, Pa.—New York Sample Shop; J. Schilling, better kind silk dresses, jobs chiffon-velvet dresses, brushed wool sweaters, cassmeluair skirts; 20 W. 22d, Room 705.

INDIANAPOLIS—L. S. Ayres & Co.; Miss M. Caldwell, sweaters, skirts, sportswear; Miss J. Vailler, women's, misses' suits dresses; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

IRON RIVER, Mich.—B. Krom; J. Altman, jobs ladies' slipover sweaters; 334 5th Av. (E. B. Feldenfeld).

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—Anderson-Dulin-Varnell Co.; W. Mixsan, Spring ready-to-wear; 333 7th Av. (J. M. Higgins, Inc.).

LA MAR, Col.—Joston Stores; S. J. Gussow, jobs plush coats; 1,261 B'way (Capital Buying Inc.).

LINCOLN, Neb.—Famous Mercantile Corp.; H. Feldman, muskrat coats; 334 5th Av. (E. B. Feldenfeld).

LOUISVILLE—Carter D. G. Co.; V. M. Smith, underwear; E. M. Wright, sweaters; 45 Leonard (E. P. Humphrey).

LYNN, Mass.—Goddard Bros.; W. C. Vinsing, outerwear, basement; 462 4th Av. (D. G. Union).

MINNEAPOLIS—Powers Mercantile Co.; Mrs. L. Sauber, millinery; 16 W. 36th.

NEW BEDFORD—New Bedford D. G. Co.; J. L. Bowie, silks, dress goods; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

NEW HAVEN—Shartenberg & Robinson Co.; H. G. Mendel, ready-to-wear; T. H. Galligan, gloves, laces, ribbons, &c.; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

NEW HAVEN—Mendel & Harris Inc.; S. Harris, mdse. mgr.; A. Mendel, sgn. mdse.; J. Sullivan, domestics, linens; C. Whitehead, men's & boys' furnishings; M. Brodsky, furs, jobs fur dress goods; Miss I. Dushinsky, shipping order; 1,180 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

OAKLAND, Cal.—Joe McCall Co.; J. McCall, children's, juniors' Spring coats; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

PHILADELPHIA—Blum Store; Mrs. M. Spector, lower-end afternoon dresses; 10 W. 32d (Amelia Research).

PHILADELPHIA—W. Freedman & Son; H. Freedman, petticoats, children's dresses; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Franklin Sweater Mills; A. L. Alterman, sweaters; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Frank & Seder Co.; R. Levinson, boys' clothing, furnishings; 1,379 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

PHILADELPHIA—Lerner Bros.; S. Meyers, flamingo coats, suits, new sport coats for Spring; 6 W. 31st, 7th floor.

PHILADELPHIA—Steckar, Inc.; Miss David, infants' and girls' 2 to 6x; Room 709.

PITTSBURGH — Kaufmann's; Miss Stutzman; Mrs. F. Salomon, millinery, basement; 1,261 B'way (M. A. McMulta).

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; Miss M. O'Neil, coats, suits, dresses; I. Marcus, mdse. mgr., jobs suits, coats; 120 W. 32d (A. Fant).

PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder, Inc.; Miss L. B. Scheininger, basement millinery; 1,372 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

PITTSBURGH—Kreeger's; Mr. Bowers, jobs better coats; 370 7th Av. (Munzer-Mann Co.).

PITTSBURGH—Keystone Cloak and Suit Co.; M. Steinbach, coats, silk dresses; 18 E. 26th, Room 1910.

PORTLAND, Me.—H. R. Libby Co.; Mr. Hughes, women's ready-to-wear; 423 4th Av. (F. J. Cronin, Inc.).

RICHMOND—Kaufmann's, Inc.; E. Kaufmann, dresses; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

RICHMOND, Va.—Miller & Rhoads Co.; M. C. Dahill, ready-to-wear; 433 4th Av. (D. G. Union).

RICHMOND, Va.—Richmond D. G. Co.; H. W. Duane, dress goods, silks, wash goods; 43 Leonard.

RICHMOND, Va.—Kaufmann & Co.; J. I. Kaufmann, hats; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

ROCHESTER—B. Forman Co.; C. W. Herman, dresses; Miss I. Rogers, juniors' misses' dresses; Miss Culhane, inexpensive dresses, house dresses; S. Rosenberg, coats, suits; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

SAN DIEGO—The Mode Cloak and Suit House; M. J. Richstein, children's, juniors' Spring coats; 226 A. C. (L. Hart).

SAN FRANCISCO—Furst & Hoffman; S. Hoffman, children's, juniors' Spring coats; 225 5th Av. (L. Hart).

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—French Dress Shop; A. Pheffer, jobs coats, dresses; 1,182 B'way.

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—South Bend Merc. Co.; H. L. Maas, general mdse.; 305 B'way (D. Wolf).

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—Forbes & Wallace; N. Wallace, Miss Jackson, ready-to-wear; 240 Madison Av.

ST. LOUIS—Hoyle & Rarick; M. J. Weber, jobs ladies' coats, better grade dresses, party dresses; 134 W. 32d (L. Weber & Co.).

ST. LOUIS—Rosenberg Bros.; A. H. Rosenberg, woolens; Pennsylvania.

ST. PAUL—Golden Rule; R. J. Williams, jobs silks; 1,140 B'way, Room 1606.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind.—Root R. G. Co.; Mrs. M. J. Eggert, ready-to-wear; 32 E. 26th (W. T. Rhott).

TOLEDO—Lasalle & Koch; H. J. Mason, silks, dress goods; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

TOLEDO—M. J. Lee; C. A. Smith, cloaks, suits, furs; Imperial.

WASHINGTON—M. Goldenberg; A. M. Domb, jobs fine silk dresses, girls' coats, fur-trimmed cloth and pile fabric coats; Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON—S. Kann Sons & Co.; Miss A. M. Hagan, low cost dresses only; 432 4th Av.

WASHINGTON—Woodward & Lothrop; J. W. Gray, men's, women's, children's shoes; 370 7th Av., Room 1701.

WASHINGTON—Julius Loeb Co.; Miss L. Bergasin, coats, suits, dresses; H. J. Loeb, coats, suits, dresses; Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON—Eribacher's; Mrs. G. Eribacher, ready-to-wear, dresses, skirts; J. Sachs, waists, petticoats; Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON—King's Palace; Miss M. Kinder, ready-to-wear; Cumberland.

WHEELING, W. Va.—Geo. F. Taylor Co.; Miss B. Nicholl, dresses, costumes; W. La Rempe, women's ready-to-wear, silks; 120 W. 32d (A. Fant).

WILKES-BARRE, Pa.—Blum Bros.; I. Blum, ready-to-wear; 303 5th Av. (A. Alexander).

WILMINGTON, Del.—Tuckerman's Women's Shop; T. Tuckerman, coats, suits; 115 W. 30th (S. Seiff & Co.).

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio — Strouss-Hirshberg Co.; H. Lowitz, silks, dress goods; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

BUYERS' WANTS—OFFERINGS TO BUYERS

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ASTRAKHANS Wanted—Tans only, for cash. Roth Brothers, 25 West 31st.

ASTRAKHANS Wanted for cash. Eddie Kahn, 461 7th Av.

BEAVERS Wanted—Squirrel, wildcat collars and sets. Bernstein & Meyers, 2 West 33d.

BOCHMAN Wanted—Style 1428, 1468, 1471; any quantity; spot cash. Pennsylvania 3230.

BOLIVIA Wanted—Open to buy quantity lustrous up to $2.50; spot cash. Lackawanna 2137.

CHIFFON Velvets, Duvetynes, Roshanaras, Satin Cantons. Wanted—All colors and quality, spot cash. Adolph Feinswig, 16 East 28th. Madison Square 1067.

CHIFFON Velvet Wanted—All qualities, also Maron's F 69. Basser's Textile Cleaning House, Inc., 34 East 29th. Madison Square 8329.

CHIFFON Velling Wanted—In jobs, white, light colors only. Hyman, 42 Crosby St.

CLOTHS Wanted—Astrakhanas, American, velours 1310-10052, serges 104. Watkins 1730.

CLOTH Wanted—Suiting and coating; cash. William Berrah Co., 229 4th Av.

COATS Wanted—Large jobber placing stock orders on Spring coats, capes and wraps; sport and dress of better grade; immediate delivery. Call with samples, 184 West 27th, 11th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking Spring lines infants' coats, capes and novelties; high-class line only; call with samples. K. and W. Waist Co., 464 Broadway.

COATS Wanted—Fall coats with gray mouffion or gray muskrat collars and cuffs, or without cuffs, at a price. 6th floor, 29th St., side 333 7th Av.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring coats and capes; also juniors; kindly call with samples all week. Royal Coat Co., 44 West 28th.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Jobber looking at stout Spring styles; all week; placing orders now; call after 10 A. M. 365 7th Av., 19th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better kind of fancy coats, capes and sport coats. Call with samples. Brimberg, 30 West 33rd.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on snappy sport coats and novelties. Call with samples all week. Shipman-Wattach, 19 West 32d.

COATS And Suits Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better-made Spring coats, suits. Call with samples, Max Goldstein, 39 West 31st St.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on desirable styles of infants' intermediates and children's Spring coats. 128-133 West 27th, 6th floor.

COATS Wanted—Placing Spring orders on abetter kind dressing coats and capes. Call all week with samples, 5th floor, 106 West 28th.

COATS Wanted—Large jobber placing orders on Spring coats. Call with samples, all week. M. Feigenstein & Bro., 26 West 32d.

COATS Wanted—Looking children, junior, intermediate coats, suits and hiking suits, select girls' coats. 28 West 32d.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at better grade Spring coats. Call with samples. Fierman & Kolmer, 302 5th Av.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on ladies' and misses' Spring coats. Kogut & Lichtenstein, 12 West 37th.

COATS, Capes Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders, misses', juniors, children's. 130 West 36th, 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Open to buy 500 coats for cash; must be good value. Louis Weinstein Co., 37 West 32d.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Jobber buying short garments of better kind. 2d floor, 1,222 Broadway.

COATS Wanted—Children's and junior Spring coats; placing orders. Stein & Kirsch, 122 West 36th.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Placing orders on Spring models. Call between 9-1. 134 West 29th, room 805.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at samples misses' and juniors' all day. 142 West 24th, 12th floor.

COATS and Capes Wanted—Spring numbers for jobber; call with samples, 9th floor, 112 West 32d.

COATS AND CAPES Wanted—Better made juniors' ladies' Spring garments. 185 West 27th, 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on snappy Spring styles. Arenow Brothers, 129 West 35th.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Looking at Spring samples. Call all day, 12 West 27th, 8th floor.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on misses' and junior coats for Spring. Norman Coat, 16 West 20th.

COATS Wanted—Infants' intermediate Spring; placing orders. 4th floor, 10 West 24th.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy Spring styles. B. Silberblatt, 7 West 20th.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders infants', children's and junior's coats. 24 West 20th, first floor.

COATS Wanted—Looking at Spring samples all week. 333 7th Av, 20th St. side; 19th floor.

COATS Wanted—Capes, sport and dressy coats, better grade. 9th floor, 10 West 20th.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on misses' and junior coats for Spring. Norman Coat, 16 West 20th.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on snappy Spring coats. Marks & Funk, 24 West 25th, 7th fl., Room 1701.

COATS Wanted—Snappy styles in Spring coats. 4th floor, 45 West 27th.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on Spring coats all week. 12 West 27th, 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Children's plaids, 2 to 14, placing orders. 24 West 27th, 6th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring coats. 11 West 32d, 10th floor.

DRESSES, Stouts, Wanted—Placing orders on Spring models. 27 West 32d, 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders, Spring silk dresses. Louis Albert, 342 West 36th.

DRESSES Wanted—Misses', juniors', linens, voiles, novelties. 7th floor, 6 West 20th.

DRESSES Wanted—Large quantity, silk, to close-out. Arthur, 5th floor, 38 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring styles, call all week. 33 West 32d, 2d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Blouse and negligee, will place orders. Hellner, 141 West 23d.

BUYERS' WANTS.

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DRESSES—Stouts only; every dress on premises must be sold at sacrifice prices; must make room for our beautiful Spring styles in cantons, satin-face cantons, crepe de chines, georgettes, printed crepes, all moderately priced. Matron Dress, 11 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber now placing stock orders on new Spring styles of taffeta, canton crepe, georgette, crepe de chine and all novelty materials in afternoon and street dresses; samples 9-5 daily. 28 West 32d, 5th floor. Pennsylvania 6320.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on all high grade satin cantons, crepe Elizabeth, Roman crepes, novelties and all newest materials for Spring. Apply 9-4, 346 West 38th St. (store).

DRESSES Wanted—Placing stock orders; those specializing on women's dresses of the better kind only. 9 to 12 A. M. 249 West 36th St., one flight up, east entrance.

DRESSES Wanted—Contractors, we are placing orders for Spring. Call with original models only, silks and novelties, 9-12, 24 West 27th, 8th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders for satin cantons, canton crepes and flat crepes; call with samples. Gratz & Hellman, Inc., 27 West 33d St.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on beaded georgettes and cantons in women's sizes; bring samples all week. 11 West 32d, 6th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders crepes de chine, cantons, georgettes, taffetas; also job silk dresses. Empire, 140 West 27th.

FUR Collars Wanted—Platidum, wolves, squirrels and foxes; quantities at a price. Joseph Lichtenthal, 20 West 30th.

FUR Collars Wanted for Spring and Summer coats. Bernstein, 121 West 27th.

FUR Wanted—Tibet and mouffion collars; can use 1,000 at a price. Jacob Miller Garment Co., 261 7th Av.; Longacre 2995.

FURS Wanted—Opossum, coney, raccoon and other fur trimmings; all quantities; call. Metzger & Cohen, 115 West 27th.

FURS Wanted—For cash, beaver and squirrel collars and sets; open for large quantities Hall, 1,333 Broadway.

FURS Wanted—Collars and sets, hares and mouffion; cash. Rosenberg & Davis, 147 West 25th.

FURS Wanted—Sealine coats, large or small quantities, spot cash. Jarvis, 1,123 Broadway.

FURS Wanted—Beaver and squirrel collars and sets; spot cash. Charles Gottlieb, 468 7th Av.

FURS Wanted—Natural squirrel sets, for cash. Kirschman Bro., 1,333 Broadway.

FURS Wanted—Beaver collars, will pay cash. B. Heller & Co., 29 West 27th.

FURS Wanted—11022, color 3 or similar; Spanish goods in gray and tender. Cohen-Friedlander-Martin. Longacre 6803.

POLAIRES Wanted—Lawrence 9211, cash. Pennsylvania 6879.

ROSHANARA Wanted—Dark navy, cocoa and graystone; good quality. Ottenstein, 31 East 28th.

ROSHANARAS Wanted—All colors. United Skirt, 12 West 27th.

SILKS Wanted—Will buy for spot cash, charmeuse, black and colors, satin cantons, satin crepes, roshanara, cantons, taffetas, gros de londre, mêsselines, chiffon velvets, also novelties printed silks of every description. Basser's Textile Cleaning House, Inc., 34 East 29th. Madison Square 8329.

SILKS Wanted—Spot cash for crepe satins, crepe meteors, cantons, satin cantons, flat crepes, charmeuse, messalines, failles, taffetas, shirtings, crepes de chine, foulards, printed silks, spot satins, georgette; also odd lots and imperfect silks. Bassera, 453 4th Av. Madison Square 1067.

SILKS Wanted—Any description, any quantity, spot cash. M. C. Lippman, 223 5th Av., Madison Square 7061.

SKIRTS Wanted—By jobber for Spring. I. D. Rothschild & Co., 19 West 24th.

SUITS Wanted — Looking strictly tailored suits. Knabel-Bloom, 229 West 36th.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber placing orders Spring Suits. Fair, 118 West 27th.

STROKS, Camel Hair, Wanted—Paris, La mode, also flamingo. Penn 0781.

TRICOLETTES, Tricoshan Wanted at close-out price. Call between 8-10 A. M., 19 West 4th, 6th floor.

TRICOSHAM and Alltyme Crepe Wanted—Quantity; cash; submit samples and price. J. Fix Times.

TWEEDS Wanted, stones and starkey; range 1681-3; for cash. Levine & Rosenburg, 13 University Place.

TWEEDS Wanted—Cash; quantity; low price. William Berrah, 229 4th Av. Stuyvesant 2676.

TWEEDS Wanted—Sport cloth, cash. H. Cantor, 15 East 26th.

TWILL Cords Wanted—Large quantity, all colors, at price; bring samples. 166 5th Av., Room 606.

VELDYNE Wanted—F. and H. black, navy and black hairline stripe. Ben Ginsburg, 134 West 37th. Chickering 8265.

VELOURS, Wanted—Heavyweights, must be cheap. Lackawanna 3625.

VELVERETTES Wanted—Also 21425 and 21421; will pay cash. Orchard 6534.

VELVETEENS Wanted—No. 9000, black, firsts, will pay cash. M. Silverman & Son, 203 5th Av.

WOOL Crepes Wanted—Open for quantity, all colors crepe. Julie, Longacre 0771.

WOOLENS Wanted—Wool sponge and checks, plaids, velours; quantity, for a price. Fannette Mfg., 104 West 27th.

WOOLENS Wanted — Cash — closouts, any kind dress goods, suitings, shirtings, flannels, &c. Meirovitz, Madison 0546.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

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Men's Wear.

SUITS—Wash, boys', for January sale; newest styles; Peggy cloth, Leonard, invincible suitings; lots 25 dozen or more, $9.75; net 10. R. G. S. Novelty Co., Inc., 627 Broadway.

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APRONS, bloomers, gowns, house dresses, sweaters, hosiery, knit underwear and hundreds of other good items suitable for special sales. Simon Kahn Co., 911 Broadway.

ASTRAKHAN Jacquettes, plain and trimmed; $6.75 up. I. Frank, 25 West 27th.

BASHROBES—Ladies', men's and children's; immediate delivery; special prices. Behan, Inc., 447 Broadway. Canal 1905.

BOLIVIA—Holden-Leonard's lustrous; close out at a price; all colors; for January sales; also new Spring shades, red, green, burnt orange; will furnish cuts for samples. Esco, 16 West 21st. Chelsea 1457.

BOLIVIAS—Holden-Leonard's, lustrous; will close out cheap for your special sales; all colors; also pastel shades for your Spring samples. Madison Square 4129.

BOLIVIA—1358, new Spring shades; also several close-outs; very cheap. Madison Square 4614.

BOLIVIAS—High shades; also velours, poiretes, poirets, cuts for samples. Watkins 9076.

BOLIVIAS—1363, 21371, high shades; also American poiretes. Lexington 8040.

CAPES, Cloths, Silks, all kinds; immediate delivery, 141 West 36th, 11th floor.

COATS—Contractor must sell 400 sport velours and bolivias at any price. 245 7th Av., 25th floor.

COATS—Children's, at closing out prices on racks, sizes 2 to 14. Louis Rosenheim, 119 West 24th.

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COATS—Sacrificing 100 sports and 50 bolivias. Stylaplus Manufacturing Co., 110 West 27th.

COATS—Closing out coats formerly $59.50 to $79.50. Eisenberg & Sommerfield, 13 West 20th.

COATS—Better materials, platinum wolf collars, cuffs; $39.75. Bernstein, 35 West 31st.

COATS—Intermediates, all sizes, to close out, cheap. Two Lane Cloak Co., 56 East 8th.

COATS—Closing out sport and dress coats; also jacquettes. Eddie Kahn, 461 7th Av.

COATS—Great sacrifice on 400 coats; must be sold this week. 10th floor, 19 West 27th.

COATS—Jobs bolivias, cheap; also jobs children's coats. Progress, 24 West 32d.

COATS—Closing out bolivia coats under market price. Herstein, 469 7th Av.

COATS—Job 200 polo, 4-6, sacrificing at $3. Isaac Rosenberg, 1,123 Broadway.

COATS—Jobs to close out. Marinette Cloak Co., 40 West 25th.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

General Decline on Stock Exchange—Sterling Weaker, Francs a Fraction Better.

The decline on the stock market yesterday occurred without any particular effort to explain it. We are now in the period of the year when Stock Exchange prices are governed by influences not visible on the surface and often of wholly temporary character. Before the days of the Federal Reserve, in years when credit was in full demand, the money market used to tighten during the last half of December and the stringency always put the Stock Exchange call loan market to a severer test than any other. The Reserve system's machinery makes that disturbance unnecessary. The "year-end settlements" can be arranged without commotion—a fact especially evident at the present time.

There are always, however, other influences bearing directly on the stock market. At the end of the year, reasons may arise with very many individuals, firms and corporations for the temporary conversion of easily realizable assets into cash, and the Stock Exchange is the place on which it is apt to be done. Since the high income tax was introduced, there has also been more or less of opportunity for "selling to create losses" in the next year's statement, and the efforts of the Internal Revenue Department to check this practice have not wholly stopped it.

Presumably yesterday's declining market occurred either because of this sort of sales or in anticipation of them. In a desultory way, Wall Street produced some other explanations—the Congressional sleight-of-hand work with the Soldiers' Bonus bill, for instance, the half-hearted efforts to talk down the Mellon tax-reduction plan, and the continued deadlock over the Senate Railway Committee's Chairmanship. But none of these incidents was new, and none of them unexpected. The day's decline in prices ranged from fractions to 2 or 3 points; the "averages" fell more than one point, and most stocks closed around the lowest, after total transactions again exceeding a million shares. In the foreign exchange market, business came pretty much to a halt. Sterling closed virtually unchanged; francs a small fraction higher.

Prices on yesterday's grain markets hardly moved in response to the various statements bearing on the yield and value of the crops, published after the close of Monday's business. At its closing price, wheat for December delivery sold 3¼ cents per bushel above that of a month ago. But the price was 5⅜ cents below the season's high figure of October and, what was more striking in the way of comparison, it was 2¾ cents under the price of Dec. 18, 1922. That this should be so, when the American wheat crop of 1923 is 81,800,000 bushels less than last year's, constitutes part of the grievance of the farmers. But now comes the world-crop estimate of the Institute at Rome, showing the total output of wheat, excluding Russia, to have been 350,000,000 bushels greater than in 1922, an increase of nearly 10 per cent.

The estimate of our Agricultural Department on the value of the present year's crops has further bearing on the position of the farmer. It is a more or less imperfect calculation, being based wholly on the prices of the one day, Dec. 1; but the increase of $872,000,000 or 11½ per cent. in the valuation of all the crops, notwithstanding a decrease in the wheat crop's value of $147,900,000, or nearly 17 per cent., shows what was known before, that it is one crop which has caused the trouble. Ignoring the garden and dairy products, whose value is greater at the end of 1923 than a year ago, the figures indicate that the increase in aggregate value of the three crops, corn, oats and barley, exceeds by $235,000,000 the decrease in wheat alone. It is still true that present prices for none of these products are as far above 1914 as metal and textile prices, for instance; but the case of wheat in reality stands by itself. Dairy and garden products, as quoted in the price record, average 50 per cent. above August, 1914, and they, as well as wheat are products of the farm.

MONEY.

TUESDAY, DEC. 18, 1923.

Stock Exchange call money was maintained at 4% per cent. throughout, a fractional advance from Monday's low and final. There was very little doing in fixed period money, only nominal sort of interest being evinced by both borrowers and lenders, but what was going was arranged at 5 per cent. Choice name merchants' notes continued discounted at 4½ per cent., while less well-known were taken at 5. Acceptances were quiet and without variation.

Call Loans.

Renewals.	High.	Low.	Last.	Monday's Last
4%	4¼	4¼	4¼	4½

Time Loans.

	Monday
Mixed collateral, 60-90 days	5
4, 5 and 6 months	5
All industrial collateral, 60-90 days	5
4, 5 and 6 months	5

Commercial Paper.

Best names, 4 to 6 months	4¼@5
Other names, 4 to 6 months	4¼@5

Rediscount Rates, Federal Reserve Bank

Commercial paper, 15 days, 4½; 60 to 90 days	4½
Liberty bonds, Victory notes and Treasury certificates of indebtedness, 15 days, 4¼; 60 to 90 days	4½

Bankers' Acceptances.

	Bid.	Asked.
Call loans against acceptances	4¼	
Prime bankers' acceptances, eligible for purchase or rediscount by Federal Reserve Banks. Rates quoted are for discount at purchase:		
30 days	4¼	4
60 days	4¼	4½
90 days	4¼	4½
Four months	4¼	4½
Six months	4¼	4¾
Non-member and private bankers, 60-90 days	4¾	4¼

London Market.

Money in London unchanged at 1½ per cent.; short bills unchanged at 3¼ per cent.; three months' bills unchanged at 3¼ per cent.

Gold bullion unchanged at 94s 4d per fine ounce. Taking the British Mint standard price of 85s per fine ounce as par, the market quotation of gold would represent a price of 111 at London. On the same basis the highest London price for gold for the year to date was 114 on Nov. 19. The highest price since open trading in gold was resumed at London in September, 1919, was 149¾, on Feb. 6, 1920; the lowest 102⅝, on Feb. 21, 1922. Highest price last year, 136, on Jan. 3.

Clearing House Exchanges.

Exchange of checks at the New York Clearing House, $971,000,000; balances, $92,000,000; Federal Reserve credit balance, $87,000,000; exchanges this day a year ago, $898,000,000.

SILVER BULLION.

Bar silver in London ⅛d higher at 33½d per ounce; New York price ¼c lower at 65¾c.

Range for 1923:

	Highest.	Lowest.
London	33½d Dec. 18	30¼d Feb. 3
New York	68¾c Mar. 27	65¼c July 30

Range for 1922:

London	27⅝d May 22	25⅛d Dec. 18
New York	73⅛c May 22	63¾c Dec. 18

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1923.

Day's Sales.	Monday.	Saturday.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.
1,190,775	1,125,881	574,000	792,808	516,900

Year to Date.	Same Period 1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
228,492,718	253,579,566	165,954,440½	217,750,352½	306,339,474

1923. High.	Low.	Sales.	Stock and Dividend Rate.	First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	Closing. Bid.	Ask.
19¾	6½	200	Advance Rumely	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	—	7	9½
54½	24	100	Advance Rumely pf. (3)	31½	31½	31½	31½	— ¼	30½	31½
72⅜	56	100	Air Reduction (4)	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾	— ¼	66½	67
14⅞	4⅜	400	Ajax Rubber	6⅞	6⅞	6	6	— ⅛	5⅝	6
⅝	⅛	500	Alaska Gold Mines	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛			
1⅞	⅝	500	Alaska Juneau	1	1	1	1		1	1⅛
106	93	100	All American Cables (6)	100	100	100	100	+ 2½	99	106
80	56¼	3,200	Allied Chem. & Dye (4)	70¾	70¾	68¾	69¾	— 1⅜	68¾	69¾
112	105¼	100	Allied Chem. & Dye pf. (7)	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾	—	109½	109¾
51¼	37⅞	1,700	Allis-Chalmers Mfg. (4)	44	44	43¾	43¾	— ⅝	43¼	44
97⅜	89	100	Allis-Chalmers Mfg. pf. (7)	92¼	92¼	92¼	92¼	+ ¼	91½	92
36⅝	10⅛	2,200	Am. Agricult. Chemical	12⅜	12⅞	12	12	— 1	12	12½
68⅝	28¼	400	Am. Agricult. Chem. pf.	41⅛	41⅛	38	39	— 2⅜	39	40½
106	77	100	Am. Bank Note (10)	95	95	95	95	+ ¼	95	100
49½	25	100	Am. Beet Sugar	42	42	42	42		40	42
60	22½	300	Am. Bosch Magneto	36¼	36¼	35½	35½	— 1¼	35	
107⅝	75½	36,600	Am. Can (5)	106¼	106½	104¼	104½	— 2¼	104⅜	104⅝
115	106	100	Am. Can pf. (7)	109	109	109	109	+ ¼	107½	109
189	145⅜	200	Am. Car & Foundry (12)	163	163	161	161	— 1	161	162½
17⅜	5⅜	300	Am. Chicle	15¼	15½	15¼	15¼	— ¾	15¼	16
9⅝	5⅝	500	Am. Cotton Oil ctfs	9	9	8⅝	8⅝		8½	9½
29½	26½	800	Am. Cotton Oil pf. ctfs	27½	27½	26⅝	26⅝	— 1½	26¾	27⅞
7⅝	4⅛	200	Am. Druggist Syndicate	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼	+ ⅛	5¼	5⅝
143½	87	181	Am. Express (6)	90	90	90	90		89	91
13⅝	6⅛	200	Am. Hide & Leather	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛	7¼	8
34½	22¾	300	Am. Hide & Leather pf.	27½	28	27½	27½	— ⅛	27½	28
111½	75	300	Am. Ice (7)	86	86	86	86	— ½	86	87
89	77¾	200	Am. Ice pf. (6)	80	80	80	80		79½	80
33½	16	6,600	Am. International	23	23	21¾	21¾	— 2½	21¼	21⅝
38	13	400	Am. Linseed	17¼	17¼	17	17	— ¾	16½	17⅜
59	23½	400	Am. Linseed pf.	33¾	33¾	33	33		32	34
75¾	44⅜	6,800	Am. Locomotive (6)	73	73	71¾	71¾	— 1⅞	71½	71¾
55⅞	40¼	100	Am. Metal (3)	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾	+ ¼	42½	42¾
95	76	700	Am. Radiator (4)	94	94	92	92	— 1½	92	92½
100¾	96	100	Am. Rolling Mill pf. (7)	97½	97½	97½	97½	— ¼	97½	98½
9¼	4⅞	500	Am. Safety Razor (50c)	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	— ⅛	6½	7
21⅜	10⅜	1,700	Am. Ship & Commerce	11⅛	11⅛	11	11	— ⅛	11	11¼
89¾	51⅜	1,500	Am. Smelting & Ref. (5)	57⅜	57⅞	56⅝	56⅝	— 1⅜	56⅝	57
40⅝	31⅜	2,000	Am. Steel Foundries (3)	37½	37⅞	37	37	— ⅛	37	37¼
85	48	1,900	Am. Sugar Refining	58	58	56¼	56¼	— 1⅜	56¼	56⅝
36⅜	16	1,300	Am. Sumatra Tobacco	20	20	18⅝	19	— ⅞	18⅝	19½
58½	49	300	Am. Telegraph & Cable (5)	41	41	40¾	40¾	— 2⅜	40¾	43
128⅜	119¾	600	Am. Telephone & Tel. (9)	127⅛	127⅞	126½	127⅛	— ⅜	127	127½
161½	140¾	600	Am. Tobacco (12)	148½	148½	147⅞	148	— ½	148	150
159¾	140	200	Am. Tobacco, Class B (12)	146⅜	146⅜	146⅛	146⅛	— 2⅜	146¼	147½
93	85¾	100	Am. W. W. & E. 1st pf. (7)	89	89	89	89		88½	89
64	48¼	300	Am. W. W. & E. ptc.pf.(4)	62	62	62	62	— ½	61½	62
109¾	65	4,800	Am. Woolen (7)	71½	72	70¾	71	— ⅝	70¾	71
34	1⅛	300	Am. Writing Paper pf.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛	1⅞	1⅞
19¼	6⅛	1,400	Am. Zinc, Lead & S.	7	7	7	7	+ ⅛		
58½	26	200	Am. Zinc, Lead & S. pf.	26	27	26	27			
53½	32⅜	3,100	Anaconda Copper (3)	37¼	37⅝	37	37⅜	— ⅛	37	37¼
45	21	100	Ann Arbor pf.	31½	31½	31½	31½	— ½	31½	31¾
94½	88¾	900	Armour & Co. pf., Del. (7)	92	92½	92	92½	+ ¼	92	92¾
18⅝	10¾	1,700	Arnold, Constable & Co.	14	14	13½	13½	— ½	13½	14
89	62¾	100	Associated Dry Goods (4)	70¾	70¾	70¾	70¾	—	70	80
93½	84	200	Asso. Dry Goods 1st pf.(6)	84½	84½	84½	84½	+ ½	83½	85
29½	24⅞	1,000	Associated Oil (1¼)	28⅝	28⅝	28	28	— ½	27⅝	28
105¼	94	2,000	Atch., Top. & Santa Fe (6)	96	96½	95	95	— 1¼	94⅞	95¼
90⅝	86¾	200	Atch., Top. & S. Fe pf. (5)	87⅜	87⅜	87⅛	87⅛	+ ¼	87⅛	87⅜
17⅜	11⅝	300	Atlanta, Birm. & Atlantic	11½	11½	11½	11½		11½	12
127	109¾	400	Atlantic Coast Line (7)	112¾	113¼	111	111	— 1	111	112
2⅞	⅞	300	Atlantic Fruit ctfs	1⅛	1¼	1⅛	1¼		1⅛	1¼
34	9¼	600	Atl., Gulf & West Indies	15	15	15	15		14½	14⅞
100	98¾	1,100	Atlantic Refining (4)	125	127	125	126	+ 1	124	125⅞
20¼	9⅝	200	Atlas Tack	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	— ⅛	9⅝	9⅞
35½	17	800	Austin Nichols	25	25	24⅞	24⅞	— ⅛	24⅞	24⅞
144½	74¼	1,400	Auto Knitter Hosiery (3)	94	94	94	94	— ½	94	94½
144½	110¾	33,700	Baldwin Locomotive (7)	125½	125¾	122½	125½	— 2⅜	123	123¾
60¾	40¾	5,200	Baltimore & Ohio (5)	58⅜	58⅝	57½	57⅝	— ¾	57½	57⅝
60¾	55¾	400	Baltimore & Ohio pf. (4)	58	58	56¾	56½	— 1⅜	56	57⅜
35	9⅝	1,750	Barnsdall, Class A	15½	16¼	15⅜	15⅝	— ⅜	15	15⅝
22	6	1,600	Barnsdall, Class B	10¾	10¾	10	10	— ⅛	10	10¾
	⅝	200	Basoplias Mining	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	— ⅛		
62½	50	300	Bayuk Cigars	57	57	56¾	56¾	— ¼	55½	56¾
84½	48¾	1,800	Beech-Nut Packing (2.40)	52½	52½	51½	51½	— ¾	51	51½
71¾	41¾	6,600	Bethlehem Steel (5)	53	53	51¾	51¾	— 1¼	51¾	51¾
97½	87	200	Bethlehem Steel pf. (7)	91	91½	91	91½	+ ¼	91	91¾
7¾	3⅜	1,000	Booth Fisheries		4¾	4¾	4¾	— ⅛	4¾	4⅞
121½	104¾	200	Brooklyn Edison Elec. (8)	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾	— ¼	109¼	109¾
18⅝	9¼	1,500	Brooklyn-Man. Transit	13½	13⅝	12⅝	12⅝	— ¼	12⅝	13
49	31¾	1,600	Brooklyn-Man. Transit pf.	44	44	43¾	43¾	— 1	43	43¾
128	103½	100	Brooklyn Union Gas (8)	112	112	112	112	— 2	112	115
65⅞	41⅝	150	Brown Shoe (4)	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾	+ ¾	50	52½
61	51	100	Buff., Roch. & Pitts. (4)	51	51	51	51	— 1	51	52
144⅜	100	200	Burns Brothers (10)	102½	102¾	102	102	— 1½	98	102
43	21½	500	Burns Bros., Cl. B (2)	24	24	23½	23½	— ⅝	23½	24
11¾	4½	1,000	Butte Copper & Zinc (50c)	5	5	5	5		5	5¼
37⅞	12⅝	1,200	Butte & Superior	15	15	14¾	14¾	— ¼	14¾	15
22	13½	200	Butterick Co.	18	18	18	18		18	19¼
9¼	1¼	200	Caddo Central Oil & R.	2⅜	2⅜	2¼	2¼	— ⅛	2¼	2⅜
87	77	200	California Packing (6)	81½	81½	81⅜	81⅜	— ⅛	81	81¾
29¾	17½	23,500	California Petroleum (1⅜)	25	25½	24½	25	— ½	24¾	25
110½	90¼	200	California Pet. pf. (7)	98	99½	98	99½	— ½	98¼	100
12⅜	3¾	900	Callahan Zinc-Lead	4½	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛	4¾	4¾
66	42¾	100	Calumet & Arizona (2)	43½	43½	43½	43½	— ½	43	44
20½	17½	100	Calumet & Hecla (50c)	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛	18¼	18⅜
160	130¾	2,800	Canadian Pacific (10)	145⅞	146½	145¼	145⅞	+ ¼	145¾	146
4⅜	½	100	Case (J. I.) Plow	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝			
	⅛	100	Case (J. I.) Plow 2d pf.	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞			
40½	9⅝	1,000	Central Leather Co.	10¾	11¼	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛	10⅝	11
70¾	25¾	2,100	Central Leather Co. pf.	31½	32⅜	31½	31½	— ⅝	31½	32
50¾	36½	5,100	Central de Azucar Co. (4)	43¾	45¾	44¼	44¼	— 1½	44¼	44¾
76	43	3,600	Chandler Motor (6)	65	65	62¾	62¾	— 2⅜	62	63
57	43	1,800	Chesapeake & Ohio (4)	70	70¼	69¾	69¾	— ¼	69¾	69¾
4	2	800	Chicago & Alton	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼		3	3¼
40¾	39⅝	200	Chicago & Alton pf.	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	10¼	— ⅛	10½	10⅝
26¾	21¾	1,500	Chicago & Eastern Ill.	27½	27½	26¾	26¾	— 1½	26¼	26¾
63¾	46½	200	Chicago, St. Pl. pf.	50	50	50	50		49	51
		100	Chicago Great Western	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼	— ⅛	4	4¼
13	6⅞	100	Chi. Great Western pf.	10	10	10	10		9⅞	10
14¾	11¾	4,700	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	11⅞	12	11⅝	11⅝	— 1	11½	11⅝
24¾	21¼	4,700	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul pf.	21¾	22	21	21	— 1¼	21	21¼
51¾	50¼	5,400	Chi. & Northwestern (4)	51	51	50	50½	— ¾	50½	50⅝
106	104	100	Chi. & Northwestern pf.(7)	104	104	104	104	— 1	103	106
84	83	100	Chi. Pneumatic Tool (5)	82	82	82	82	— ¼	82	83
22¼	20¾	2,800	Chi., R. I. & Pacific	22	22	20⅝	20⅝	— 1½	20⅞	21¼
68¾	66¾	400	Chi., R. I. & Pac. pf. (6)	67⅞	67⅞	66¾	66¾	— 1½	66½	67
35	31	100	Chi. St. P., M. & O.	32	32	32	32		31	35
79	58	100	C., St. P., M. & O. pf. (7)	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾	— 2⅝	75	77
29¾	27⅝	1,000	Chile Copper (2½)	27⅞	27⅞	27⅝	27⅝	— ⅛	27⅝	27⅞
18¾	17⅛	2,400	Chino Copper	17¾	17⅞	17	17	— ¼	17	17¼
74	73	300	Coca-Cola (7)	73	73	73	73	— ¼	72½	73
23¾	20	200	Colorado Fuel & Iron	23	23	22¾	22¾	— ¼	22½	22¾
18¾	17	100	Colorado & Southern	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	— 1¼	17⅝	17⅝
37⅞	30¾	1,300	Columbia Gas & El. (2.60)	33⅝	33⅞	33⅛	33⅜	— ⅛	33⅜	33½
49¾	41	400	Columbian Carbon (4)	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾		44½	45
44⅞	25	100	Comm'l Solvents A	43	43	43	43	— 1½	40	43
89¾	67	1,600	Comp.-Tab.-Recording (6)	87⅜	87⅞	85¾	86	— 1½	86¾	86½
184¾	135	500	Congoleum Co. (10)	179½	179¾	170	170¾	—	170	179½
30¾	15	1,600	Consolidated Cigar	16¾	16¾	16	16	— ⅛	16	16¾
69¾	56¾	1,700	Consolidated Gas (5)	57¾	57⅞	57½	57½	— ⅛	57½	57⅝
11⅞	4⅞	2,700	Consolidated Textile	6	6	6	6		6	6½
55¾	42¾	27,400	Continental Can (4)	53⅜	54½	52¼	52⅝	— ⅜	52½	52¾
12¾	5		Continental Motors	6¾	6⅞	6½	6⅝		6½	6⅝
157¼	114⅝	13,700	Corn Prod. Ref. (18¼)	156	156⅜	150	150	— 5¼	152	153
62¼	22¾	22,200	Cosden & Co.	38	38¼	34⅝	34⅞	— 1½	34⅝	35
84½	57½	4,000	Crucible Steel (4)	65	65¾	63	63¾	— 1½	63	65¼
94½	85¾	100	Crucible Steel pf. (7)	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	+ 2½	90	90¾
20	8⅝	200	Cuba Cane Sugar	14¾	14¾	14	14	— ⅛	13¾	14
64¼	33½	12,500	Cuba Cane Sugar pf.	59½	59¾	58¾	58¾	— 1	58¾	59
37⅝	23	3,600	Cuban-Am. Sugar (3)	33¾	33¾	32¾	32¾	— 1	32¾	32½
102½	92	100	Cuban-Am. Sugar pf. (7)	97	97	97	97	— 1	96	97¾
58½	30	100	Cuban Dom. Sugar pf.	46	46	46	46	— 1	46	46½
70¾	54½	6,800	Cuyamel Fruit (4)	68	70¾	67¾	68¾	+ 1⅝	68¼	69¾
26,000	20¾		Davison Chemical	80	80	75¾	75¾	— 3½	75¾	76
130¾	109¾	1,400	Del., Lack. & West. (6)	113¾	113¾	111	111¾	— 2½	110¾	111¾
111	100¾	100	Detroit Edison Co. (8)	105¾	106¾	105¾	106¾	+ ¾	105¾	106¾
22	15⅝	3,100	Dome Mines (2)	19¼	19¾	19¼	19¼	— ¼	19¼	19½
148¾	106	4,000	Du Pont de Nemours (8)	129¾	129¾	127¼	127¾	— 1¾	127	127½
89¾	82	100	Du Pont de Nem. deb.(6)	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾		87¾	88¾
108¾	101	400	Duquesne Lt. 1st pf. (7)	102¼	103½	102¼	103¼	— ¼	102½	103½
18⅝	9¼	125	Durham Hosiery	9¾	9¾	9¼	9¼	— ⅝	9	17⅞
80	55	100	Durham Hosiery pf. (7)	56	56	56	56	+ 1	53	60
115¾	80¾	300	Eastman Kodak (12½)	107¾	108¼	106¼	106¾	— ¼	107¾	108
27	20	500	Eaton Axle & Spring (2.60)	24¾	24¾	23½	23½	— ⅝	23½	23¾
67⅛	52¾	100	Elec. Storage Bat. (15⅝)	60	60	59¾	60	— ¼	59½	60½
7¼	⅝	200	Emerson Brantingham	¾	¾	¾	¾		¾	1
94¼	58¾	300	Endicott-Johnson (5)	64¼	64¾	63¾	63¾	— 1¼	63¾	64
118	100	100	Endicott-Johnson pf. (7)	112¾	112¾	112¾	112¾	+ ¼	111¼	113
22⅜	10¼	200	Erie	20¾	20¾	20¼	20¼	— ¼	20	20½
31½	15	13,300	Erie 1st pf.	28¾	29¾	28¾	29¾	— ¼	28¾	29¾
27⅝	10½	900	Erie 2d pf.	24½	24¾	24¼	24¼	— ¼	24	24½
95	52	2,100	F. Players-Lasky (8)	66¾	67¾	66¾	66¾	— ¾	66½	66¾
69¾	34¼	100	Fed. Min. & Smelt. pf. (7)	42	42	42	42	—	41½	43½
130	102	118	Fed. Motor (6)	118	118	118	118		117	120
10⅜	7¼	100	Fidel.-Phenix Fire Ins. (6)	8	8	8	8		7	
1,200	97⅛	1,200	Fifth Avenue Bus (64c.)	9⅝	9⅝	9½	9½	— ⅛	9⅜	9⅝
	7¾	400	Fisk Rubber	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛	7¾	8
50	45	600	Fleischmann Co. (12½)	45	45	45	45		44½	45
68¾	67	300	Foundation Co. (6)	66¼	66¾	66¼	66½	— ⅛	66	67
13¾	12¾	900	Freeport Texas	13	13	12½	12¾	— 1	12¾	12⅝
6¾	5¼	600	Gardner Motor	5¼	5¼	5	5	— ⅛	4¾	5¼
46	45	600	Gen. Amer. Tank Car (3)	45	45	44½	44½	— ½	44	45
38¾	35⅝	4,100	General Asphalt	37¾	37⅞	35¾	35¾	— 1½	35⅝	36
71¾	62	200	General Asphalt pf. (5)	69¾	70	69¾	70	— ⅝	67	69½
89¾	52½	1,500	General Cigar (6)	89	89	88	88	— ¾	87¾	89½
197¾	103⅞	1,400	General Electric (5)	195¾	195¾	194	194	— 2	193¾	193⅞
106¾	103	600	Gen. Elec. special (60c.)	104⅜	107	104⅜	105¾		104⅝	104¾
14¾	14¼	13,200	General Motors (1.20)	14¾	14¾	14¼	14½	— ¼	14¼	14⅜
81¾	81¼		General Motors pf. (6)	81¼	81¾	81¼	81¾	+ ¼	81	81½
83¾	81¾	100	General Motors deb. (6)	81¼	81⅞	81¼	81¾		81	81½
54¾	53¾	700	General Refractories (4)	54½	54¾	53¾	53¾	— 1½	53¾	53⅞
49¾	48¼	200	Gimbel Brothers	48⅝	48¾	48⅜	48¾	+ 1	47	48¼
97	90

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Will Invade Public Utility Field Heretofore Controlled by Foreign Capital.

Announcement was made yesterday by the Electric Bond and Share Company of the incorporation in Maine of the American and Foreign Power Company, Inc., which will enter the public utility field of Cuba, Central America and South America. The organization of the new company, which marks the first time that American hydroelectric enterprise has been extended on a large scale into foreign countries, was effected by the Electric Bond and Share Company, the common stock of which is owned by the General Electric Company.

The American and Foreign Power Company, Inc., has an authorized capital of 400,000 shares of preferred stock, 120,000 shares of second preferred and 1,500,000 shares of common, all without par value. In terms of dollars the capitalization totals not less than $50,000,000.

The President of the new company will be S. Z. Mitchell, who is also President of the Electric Bond and Share Company, and the following will be directors: Owen D. Young, Chairman of the directors of the General Electric Company; Anson W. Burchard, President of the International General Electric Company; Clarence Dillon of Dillon, Read & Co., and Charles E. Mitchell, President of the National City Bank. Financing of the project will entail a four-cornered operation in which stock will be sold in New York, London, Paris, Amsterdam and possibly in Switzerland. The burden will fall on the New York market.

Second Preferred Taken Up.

As a start it was announced that the Electric Bond & Share Company would purchase for cash the 120,000 second preferred shares and a majority interest in the common. The rest of the financing will be in the open market through a syndicate headed by Dillon, Read & Co. and the National City Company. An initial offering may be made tomorrow. The preferred, it was understood, will carry a bonus of common stock. Offering prices were not announced.

The stock will be sold on a subscription basis with 25 per cent. cash down, the remainder to be called for as the company expands. The ground work of the new company consists of a number of public utility companies acquired in the last few years by the Electric Bond & Share Co. in 39 communities in Cuba, Panama and Guatemala. Some of the more important are hydroelectric companies serving Santiago, Cienfuegos, Cardenas, Santa Clara and Camaguey in Cuba; the Panama Power & Light Corporation which controls several important power units in Panama; and the chief power companies in Guatemala.

Larger Profits Possible.

The announcement was accompanied by the following statement prepared by E. B. Lee, statistician of the Electric Bond and Share Company: "It is interesting to note that while Canadian, British, German and South American capital has been heretofore heavily invested in public utility properties in foreign fields practically no American capital, except that represented by the investments of the Electric Bond and Share Company, has been invested in such enterprises. This is true notwithstanding public utilities have been developed to a much higher degree in the United States than in any other country, and accordingly operators of public utility properties in America should have the experience to make them highly successful in foreign fields.

"The present is considered a most opportune time for the formation of an enterprise such as the American and Foreign Power Company, Inc., as many foreign exchanges are depreciated, making it possible for the new company, with its large available capital, to acquire properties at low prices.

"It is understood that financial returns obtainable from public utility companies in foreign countries are much larger than in the United States. In fact the Electric Bond and Share Company expects these foreign utility investments to yield an average return perhaps twice as much as is possible in this country."

EDISON BONDS SNAPPED UP.

The $15,000,000 Issue Oversubscribed as Books Are Opened.

Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., announced yesterday the sale of $15,000,000 of Commonwealth Edison Company first mortgage collateral 5 per cent. gold bonds, Series A, immediately after the opening of books at 9 o'clock. Subscriptions received at that time had exceeded the amount of bonds offered.

A new offering scheduled for today is being made by Eldredge & Co. and Wells-Dickey Company, the latter of Minneapolis. These companies are selling $1,000,000 Ramsey County, Minn., road and bridge 5 and 4½ per cent. bonds, due serially Jan. 2, 1925, to 1944, inclusive. The 5s are offered to yield 4.55 to 4.60 per cent. for maturities from 1925 to 1936 and the 4½s at par, these bonds maturing 1937 to 1944.

An offering of $500,000 Salt Lake City refunding bonds bearing 5 per cent. coupons and priced to yield 4.50 to 4.60 per cent., is being made by the Palmer Bond & Mortgage Company of Salt Lake. Maturities are 1925 to 1944.

George B. Gibbons & Co., Inc., are offering a new issue of $110,000 Town of Greenburgh, N. Y., coupon or registered gold 4.40 per cent. bonds due from 1924 to 1943 at prices to yield 4.30 per cent.

Announcement was made yesterday of the offering of $2,750,000 Superior Steel Corporation first mortgage 6 per cent. sinking fund gold bonds, maturing on Dec. 15, 1926, by the Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh at 99.

Brooklyn Union Gas Stock Plans.

Stockholders of the Brooklyn Union Gas Company yesterday approved the plan for a revision of capitalization, from 300,000 shares of $100 par value stock to 600,000 shares of no par value. Of the 600,000 shares, 360,000 will be issued to stockholders for 180,000 shares of $100 par stock. Another 151,580 shares will be reserved for the conversion and retirement of 7 per cent. debenture bonds on the same two to one basis. The remaining 88,420 shares will not be issued for the present.

Lorillard Stock Plan Approved.

Stockholders of P. Lorillard & Co. met yesterday and approved the proposal of the directors to increase the common capital stock from $30,311,200 to $50,000,000 and at the time reduce the par value of the present $100 common stock to shares of $25 par value and give four shares of the new for each share now held.

Seaboard Steel Pays Off Notes.

The elimination of its short-term notes through conversion and the payment of these notes at maturity has removed the final pressing obligation of the Penn Seaboard Steel Company and officials of the company say that it now is in a position to work out plans for expansion. Working capital is $1,045,158. Current assets of $2,390,045 compare with current liabilities of $1,344,886.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1923.

	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
Day's Sales—					
United States Government bonds....	$3,171,550	$2,138,200	$11,093,950	$26,985,000	$33,368,000
Other domestic bonds.....	5,811,500	4,756,000	5,966,000	5,930,500	5,287,000
Foreign bonds	1,211,500	1,615,500	1,988,500	1,026,500	1,305,500
Total all bonds.....	$10,194,550	$8,509,700	$19,047,550	$33,942,000	$39,960,500
Year to date—					
United States Government bonds....	$771,921,520	$1,604,023,327	$2,042,895,580	$2,699,999,350	$2,736,091,825
Other domestic bonds.....	1,460,838,700	1,877,345,100	986,684,500	742,426,500	577,240,489
Foreign bonds	425,637,600	589,133,300	353,210,700	286,856,950	265,098,600
Total all bonds.....	$2,658,397,820	$4,070,501,627	$3,382,790,780	$3,728,782,800	$3,578,430,914

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LOANS.

—Range Since Date of Issue— High	Date.	Low.	Date.	—Range, '23— High.	Low.	Sales	Issue.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	—Closing— Bid.	Asked.	Yield.
103.1	Oct. 19, '23	98.1	June 3, '21	101.30	99.5	150	Liberty 3½s, 1932-47.....	99.30	99.31	99.28	99.30	+.2	99.30	99.31	3.50
102.25	Oct. 19, '23	98.4	July 11, '21	101.26	99.7	...	Liberty 3½s, registered..	98.28	99.28	98.28	98.28	+.2	...	...	...
101.23	July 25, '23	93.00	May 19, '20	98.30	97.5	...	Lib. 1st cv. 4s, '32-47....	...	...	...	...	...	98.10	98.24	4.11
101.10	July 24, '23	92.25	May 19, '20	98.16	97.3	...	Lib. 1st cv. 4s, reg.....	98.11	98.11	98.11	98.11	+.7	98.10	98.14	4.13
100.25	July 23, '23	91.12	May 20, '20	98.02	96.12	1	Liberty 2d 4s, '27-42....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
100.18	July 14, '23	91.16	May 21, '20	98.16	96.16	...	Liberty 2d 4s, reg.....	...	...	...	...	...	98.00	98.4	...
102.00	July 18, '23	90.00	June 7, '20	100.00	97.15	...	Lib. 1st 2d cv.4½s,'32-47	...	...	...	...	...	98.14	98.15	4.36
101.25	July 18, '23	94.00	May 21, '20	99.0	98.22	45	Lib. 1st cv.4½s,'33-47...	98.15	98.16	98.15	98.16	...	...	...	...
101.14	July 24, '23	94.00	July 20, '20	98.30	98.20	...	Lib. 1st cv. 4½s, reg....	...	...	...	...	...	98.11	98.12	4.38
101.02	July 24, '23	91.12	May 20, '20	98.3	98.24	8474	Liberty 3½s, 4th, '33-38.	98.11	98.12	98.11	98.11	-1	...	...	...
100.13	July 24, '23	93.16	Dec. 26, '20	98.28	98.24	4	Lib. 1st cv. 4½s, reg....	98.9	98.9	98.8	98.8	...	...	...	...
101.09	July 20, '23	93.20	Dec. 20, '20	99.11	97.25	1,2704	Liberty 3d 4½s, 1928....	99.9	99.11	99.8	99.9	...	99.8	99.9	4.41
100.27	July 26, '23	92.12	May 19, '20	99.0	97.17	15	Liberty 3d 4½s, reg....	99.0	99.0	98.9	98.9	+.2	...	...	...
101.17	July 27, '23	91.00	May 20, '20	98.27	758¼	Liberty 4th 4¼s, '33-38..	98.16	98.16	98.15	98.15	-.3	98.13	98.14	4.40
101.30	July 27, '23	93.10	May 20, '20	98.28	5	Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg....	98.12	98.11	98.11	...	...	98.10	98.17	4.23
100.4	Oct. 19, '23	96.1	Mar. 27, '22	100.1	82	Treasury 4½s, 1947-52...	99.18	99.18	99.16	99.18	...	...	...	...	...
100.00	Feb. 14, '23	98.30	Apr. 25, '23	100.00	98.30	...	Treasury 4½s, reg.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Beginning March 23, the Stock Exchange officially quotes Liberty Bonds in units and fractions, the fractions being 32ds of a unit, and the quotations after the decimal point representing one or more 32ds. In the above table, therefore, the figures of highest and lowest prices during 1923 and since date of issue are reduced to the form now used in the Stock Exchange quotations.

FOREIGN BONDS.

Argentine 5s, 1945 ... 88
7s, 1927 ... 102
1 ... 102
10 ... 102¼
1 ... 102
Austrian Gov gtd s f 7s, 1943, int rcts ... 87½
5 ... 87½
Chinese Ry 6s, 1951 ... 41¾
5 ... 41
City Bordeaux 6s, 1934 ... 77
2 ... 76½
City of Christiana s f 8s, 1945 ... 108¾
2 ... 108¾
City Copenhagen 5½s, 1945 ... 87¾
2 ... 87¾
1 ... 88
City Greater Prague 7½s, 1952 ... 76¾
1 ... 76¾
City Lyons 6s, 1934 ... 77¼
1 ... 77¼
3 ... 76½
City Marseilles 6s, 1934 ... 76½
City Porto Alegre s f 8s, 1961 ... 93¼
City Rio de Janeiro s f 8s, 1946 ... 68½
15 ... 68
City Rio de Janeiro s f 8s, 1947 ... 83
1 ... 83
2 ... 83¾
6 ... 83½
City Soissons 6s, 1936 ... 99½
City Zurich 8s, 1945 ... 110¾
Czechoslovak Rep 8s, 1951 ... 93¾
1 ... 93¾
2 ... 93¾
Danish Munic s f 8s, Ser B, 1946 ... 107
31 ... 107
Dept of Seine 7s, 1942, tmp ... 82¾
14 ... 82¾
1 ... 83
Dom Rep 5½s, 1942 ... 82¾
5 ... 82¾
Dom Rep 5½s, 1942, int ctfs ... 82¾
4 ... 82¾
Dom Canada 5s, 1926 ... 99½
6 ... 99½
5½s, 1929 ... 100¾
5 ... 100¾
1 ... 100¾
1 ... 100¾
8s, 1951 ... 99¾
3 ... 99¾
temp 5s, 1952 ... 99
1 ... 99
10 ... 99¼
Dutch E Ind s f 5½s, 1953, tr rcts ... 90
6s, 1947 ... 96¾
2 ... 93¾
7 ... 95½
9 ... 96¾
6s, 1962 ... 94½
50 ... 94½
3 ... 94¾
Francaican Industi Dev temp deb ... 87
7½s, 1942 ... 87
4 ... 86¼
French Gov 7½s, 1941 ... 98¾
2 ... 98¾
3 ... 98¾
Canadian Pac deb 4s ... 78½
20 ... 78½
1 ... 78½
1 ... 78½
Car Clinchfld & Ohio 5s, 1926 ... 92¼
1 ... 92¼
Cent Leather 5s, 1925 ... 92¼
10 ... 92
21 ... 92¼
15 ... 92¼
25 ... 92¾
85 ... 92¾
5 ... 93
15 ... 91¾
Cen Pac 6½s, 1923 ... 91¾
gtd 4s, 1949 ... 86¼
44 ... 86¼
1 ... 86
Cent R R & B Co of Ga col 5s, 1927 ... 91
Central Steel s f 8s, 1941 ... 107¾
1 ... 107¾
4 ... 107¾
Cerro de Pasco conv s f 8s, 1931 ... 136¾
1 ... 136¾
5 ... 135¾
Ches & Ohio conv 4½s, 1930 ... 87¼
20 ... 87¼
conv 5s, 1946 ... 107¼
3 ... 107¼
3 ... 107¼
Chic & Alt 3½s, 1950 ... 32¼
57 ... 32¼
4 ... 34
C B & Q gen 4s, 1958 ... 89¾
20 ... 89¾
1st & ref 5s, 1971, temp ... 90
3 ... 90
Ill div 4s, 1949 ... 88
2 ... 88
Chi Cy & Con Rys col tr 5s, 1927 ... 87½
Chic & E Ill con 6s, 1934 ... 107¾
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gen 6s, 1951 ... 111¾
1 ... 111¾
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1 ... 113
1 ... 113¼
Canadian Pac deb 4s ... 78½
20 ... 78½
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s f 6s, Ser A, 1952 ... 98
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Jurgen (Ani) Un Maf Wke 6s, int rcts, 1947 ... 96¼
10 ... 78¼
King Belgium 6s, 1925 ... 96¼
4 ... 96¼
3 ... 96¼
7½s, 1945 ... 97¾
1 ... 97¾
2 ... 97¾
1 ... 97¾
11 ... 98
2 ... 97¾
4 ... 97¾
2 ... 97¾
1 ... 97¾
2 ... 97¾
10 ... 97¾
24 ... 97¾
25 ... 98
King Denmark 8s, 1942 ... 93¼
12 ... 93¼
8s, 1945 ... 107¼
4 ... 107¼
King Netherlands s f 6s, 1972 ... 101½
King Norway s f 6s, 1943 int ctfs ... 93¼
4 ... 93¼
3 ... 93¼
11 ... 93
2 ... 93¼
s f 6s, 1952 int ctfs ... 104¾
2 ... 104¾
17 ... 104¾
s f 8s, 1946 ... 103½
2 ... 104¾
14 ... 103½
King of Serbs, Croats & Slovenes 5s, 1962 ... 65¼
2 ... 65¼
5 ... 65¼
2 ... 65¼
King Sweden 6s, 1939 ... 103
3 ... 104
Paris-Lyons-Med Ry 6s, 1958 ... 69¾
1 ... 69¾
1 ... 69¾
1 ... 69¾
Great Northn gen 7s, 1936 ... 106¾
14 ... 106¾
8 ... 106¾
8 ... 106¾
Grt Northern gen 5½s, 1952 ... 95¾
5 ... 96
5 ... 95¾
2 ... 96
ref 6½s, 1961 ... 85¾
Gr Bay & Wn deb ctfs A ... 55½
deb ctfs B ... 7½
Harlem River Pt Chester 4s 1954 ... 74½
Hav El Ry 5s, 1952 ... 93¼
Hav El R. L & P gen 5s, 1954 ... 82
Hershey Choc s f g 6s, 1942 ... 101
5 ... 101¼
1 ... 101
Hoc Val 1st 4½s, 1926 ... 93¾
18 ... 93½
Hous Belt & T 1st 5s, 1937 ... 89
Hous & Tex C 1st 5s, 1937 ... 97½
Hud & Man 1st & ref 5s, Ser A, 1957 ... 81
5 ... 81½
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adj inc 5s, 1957 ... 58½
2 ... 58
Humble Oil ref deb 5½s, 1932, temp ... 97½
10 ... 97½
1 ... 97½
Ill Bell Tel 1st & ref 5s, Ser A, 1956 ... 94¼
40 ... 94½
Ill Central 4s, 1955 ... 80¾
ref 5s, 1955, interim ctfs ... 100
1 ... 100¼
1 ... 100¾
1 ... 100¾
1 ... 100¾
4 ... 100½
5½s, 1934 ... 101
3 ... 109¾
Ill Cent & C. St. L & NO ref 5s, Ser A, 1963 ... 94¾
1 ... 94¼
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Le div 3½s, 1953 ... 74½
Ill Steel 4½s, 1940 ... 90
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Indiana Stl 5s 1952 ... 101
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Int Rap Trans 1st & ref 5s, 1966 ... 85¾
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6s, 1932, temp ... 89¾
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Int Great Nor 1st 6s, Ser A 1952 ... 90¾
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adj 6s, 1952 ... 41¼
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Int Mer Mar s f 6s, 1941 ... 79½
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Int Paper cv 5s, 1947 ... 81¾
6 ... 81¾
1st & ref 6s, ... 91¾
Jurgen (Ani) Un Maf Wke 6s, int rcts, 1947 ... 96¼
10 ... 78¼
King Belgium 6s, 1925 ... 96¼
4 ... 96¼
3 ... 96¼
7½s, 1945 ... 97¾
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25 ... 98
King Denmark 8s, 1942 ... 93¼
12 ... 93¼
8s, 1945 ... 107¼
4 ... 107¼
King Netherlands s f 6s, 1972 ... 101½
King Norway s f 6s, 1943 int ctfs ... 93¼
4 ... 93¼
3 ... 93¼
11 ... 93
2 ... 93¼
s f 6s, 1952 int ctfs ... 104¾
2 ... 104¾
17 ... 104¾
s f 8s, 1946 ... 103½
2 ... 104¾
14 ... 103½
King of Serbs, Croats & Slovenes 5s, 1962 ... 65¼
2 ... 65¼
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King Sweden 6s, 1939 ... 103
3 ... 104
Paris-Lyons-Med Ry 6s, 1958 ... 69¾
1 ... 69¾
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Great Northn gen 7s, 1936 ... 106¾
14 ... 106¾
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Grt Northern gen 5½s, 1952 ... 95¾
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5 ... 95¾
2 ... 96
ref 6½s, 1961 ... 85¾
Gr Bay & Wn deb ctfs A ... 55½
deb ctfs B ... 7½
Harlem River Pt Chester 4s 1954 ... 74½
Hav El Ry 5s, 1952 ... 93¼
Hav El R. L & P gen 5s, 1954 ... 82
Hershey Choc s f g 6s, 1942 ... 101
5 ... 101¼
1 ... 101
Hoc Val 1st 4½s, 1926 ... 93¾
18 ... 93½
Hous Belt & T 1st 5s, 1937 ... 89
Hous & Tex C 1st 5s, 1937 ... 97½
Hud & Man 1st & ref 5s, Ser A, 1957 ... 81
5 ... 81½
5 ... 81
adj inc 5s, 1957 ... 58½
2 ... 58
Humble Oil ref deb 5½s, 1932, temp ... 97½
10 ... 97½
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Ill Bell Tel 1st & ref 5s, Ser A, 1956 ... 94¼
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Ill Central 4s, 1955 ... 80¾
ref 5s, 1955, interim ctfs ... 100
1 ... 100¼
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5½s, 1934 ... 101
3 ... 109¾
Ill Cent & C. St. L & NO ref 5s, Ser A, 1963 ... 94¾
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Rep of Chile s f 7s, 1942 ... 94¾
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s f 8s, 1941 ... 104¾
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2 ... 104¾
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s f 8s, 1946 ... 103¾
14 ... 103¾
Rep Colombia 6½s, 1927 ... 94¾
2 ... 94¾
15 ... 94½
Rep of Cuba 5s, 1949 ... 91
s f 6½s, 1953, int ctfs ... 90¾
4 ... 90¾
12 ... 90¾
2 ... 90¾
10 ... 90¾
5 ... 90¾
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5 ... 90¾
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5s, 1944 ... 84¼
7 ... 84¼
Rep Haiti s f 8s, ser A, 1952 ... 88½
5 ... 88½
1 ... 88
3 ... 88
18 ... 88¼
14 ... 88¼
Rep Panama extnl sec s f 5s, 1953 ... 96
14 ... 96¼
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1 ... 96
1 ... 104¾
4 ... 104
2 ... 104¾
14 ... 103¾
Rep Uruguay s f 8s, 1946 ... 103¼
1 ... 103¼
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Rep of Queensland 6s ... 100
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s f 7s, 1941 ... 104
1 ... 104
Rep Salvador s f 8s, Ser A, 1948, temp ctfs ... 100
13 ... 100
Rep Uruguay s f 8s, 1946 ... 103¼
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Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A demand for general reduction of taxation to apply to all classes of taxpayers was made in resolutions adopted at a meeting in Washington today of the Retailers' National Council, representing a membership of over 150,000 retail stores, comprising more than a million persons and doing an annual business of $10,000,000,000.

The organizations represented in the Retailers' National Council are the National Retail Drygoods Association, National Association of Retail Clothiers, National Retail Hardware Association, National Association of Retail Grocers, National Association of Retail Druggists, American-National Retail Jewelers' Association, National Garment Retailers' Association, National Shoe Retailers' Association and National Federation of Implement Dealers' Association.

Reviewing Treasury reports showing the possibility of an annual surplus of $350,000,000, the council resolved to call upon Congress "to reduce taxes all along the line so that all classes of taxpayers may enjoy equitable relief and so that at no point shall there be any increase of taxation and no imposition of new or additional tax levies." It was further resolved to ask Congress "so to govern its expenditures that the maximum of tax reduction at this time possible may be obtained for the people and business."

The council also arranged to have research studies made of a number of trade and national problems.

The correction of school textbooks in conformity with facts developed by experience in the conduct of retail stores was approved. Reports showing the willingness of schools and textbook publisheds to co-operate in this movement were received.

It was decided to form a legislative committee consisting of one member designated from each member association. A Publicity Committee was appointed, consisting of Lew Hahn, Managing Director of the National Drygoods Association; Charles E. Wry, Executive Secretary of the National Association of Retail Clothiers, and E. C. Brokmier, General Counsel of the National Association of Retail Druggists.

Georgee B. Johnson, President of the National Retail Drygoods Association, was re-elected Chairman of the council, and Herbert P. Sheets, Secretary of the National Retail Hardware Association, was re-elected Secretary.

TO APPEAL IN COTTON CASE.

Odd-Lot Exchange Will Continue Its Fight for Quotations.

Frank Moore, President of the Odd-Lot Cotton Exchange, announced yesterday that his exchange would appeal to the United States Supreme Court the decision preventing it from obtaining quotations from the New York Cotton Exchange, Wesern Union Telegraph and Gold Stock Telegraph Company. This decision was handed down by the United States Court of Appeals on Monday, affirming a ruling by Federal Judge Learned Hand, who said that the defendants were acting within their rights and were not violating the law against restraint of trade when they refused the plaintiff access to quotations.

The statement issued by Mr. Moore yesterday said in part:

"The Odd-Lot Cotton Exchange is fighting for a principle and that principle is the right of the small cotton merchant, the small farmer and the small trader to the facilities and privileges of the cotton futures market on the same basis as the wealthy and powerful members of the big board.

"We do not believe that the New York Cotton Exchange has an unconditional ownership in the price of a world-wide commodity such as cotton."

New Bridge for Jersey.

The Bethlehem Steel Corporation has received a contract for 5,000 tons of steel to be used in connection with the construction of a new bridge between Perth Amboy and South Amboy, N. J.

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	57.65	56.90	56.90	—.82
25 industrials	108.71	107.13	107.53	—1.50
50 stocks	83.18	82.01	82.25	—1.16

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Dec. 17	84.00	83.06	83.41	— .20
Dec. 15	83.82	83.23	83.61	+ .27
Dec. 14	84.23	83.06	83.34	— .39
Dec. 13	84.37	83.38	83.72	+ .25
Dec. 12	84.01	82.99	83.47	+ .26
Dec. 11	84.40	82.91	83.21	— .76

MONTHLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

Dec.	High.		Low.		Last.
*1923.	84.86	Dec. 8	82.01	Dec. 19	82.25
1922	86.85	Dec. 20	82.49	Dec. 1	86.53
1921	69.20	Dec. 15	66.61	Dec. 23	68.50
1920.	73.79	Dec. 4	62.79	Dec. 22	67.90
1919.	90.49	Dec. 26	84.10	Dec. 13	85.65

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

*1923.	83.82	Mar. 6	77.15	Oct. 29	82.25
†1922.	86.08	Oct. 19	66.21	Jan. 10	85.14

Full Years.

1922.	93.06	Oct. 19	66.21	Jan. 10	86.53
1921	78.13	May 6	56.35	June 21	68.50
1920.	94.07	Apr. 5	62.70	Dec. 22	67.90
1919.	99.58	Nov. 5	69.72	Jan. 21	89.66
1918.	90.16	Nov. 12	64.12	Jan. 15	73.39

DOMESTIC BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		Net Change. Day.	Month.	Year.
40 issues	76.60	—.02	+.37	—1.96

DAILY RANGE OF DOMESTIC BONDS.

Dec. 17	76.63	+.03	Dec. 10	76.92	—.07
Dec. 15	76.60	—.02	Dec. 8	76.99	+.12
Dec. 14	76.62	—.08	Dec. 7	76.87	+.08
Dec. 13	76.65	—.10	Dec. 6	76.79	+.04
Dec. 12	76.75	—.05	Dec. 5	76.75	+.30
Dec. 11	76.80	—.12	Dec. 4	76.55	+.01

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

*1923.	79.43	Jan. 31	75.58	Oct. 2	76.60
†1922.	82.54	Aug. 22	75.01	Jan. 3	78.56

Full Years.

1922.	82.54	Aug. 22	75.01	Jan. 3	79.12
1921.	76.31	Nov. 29	67.56	June 30	75.27
1920.	73.14	Oct. 21	63.57	May 20	68.66
1919.	79.05	June 2	71.05	Dec. 7	72.00
1918.	82.36	Nov. 12	75.05	Sep. 27	78.79

FOREIGN BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		Net Change. Day.	Week.	Month.
10 Govt. issues	98.07	..	—.06	+.12

DAILY RANGE 10 FOREIGN BONDS.

Dec. 17	98.07	..	Dec. 10	98.13	—.07
Dec. 15	98.07	+.05	Dec. 8	98.20	—.04
Dec. 14	98.04	—.17	Dec. 7	98.24	—.01
Dec. 13	98.21	—.01	Dec. 6	98.23	+.02
Dec. 12	98.22	+.06	Dec. 5	98.23	+.26
Dec. 11	98.13	..	Dec. 4	97.97	—.06

YEARLY RANGE 10 FOREIGN BONDS.

	High		Low.		Last.
*1923.	101.14	June 17	96.92	Jan. 30	98.07

*To date.
†To corresponding date last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

List Slightly Higher—Sterling Weak at Start, but Later Recovers—Francs Up.

Foreign exchanges were slightly higher yesterday, although pressure in the late trading canceled a good part of the gains scored in the forenoon and early afternoon. Business was much smaller than that on Monday, reduced offerings making for a slight upturn all around. Sterling met some pressure on the announcement that former Premiers George and Asquith were agreed on a policy not to succor the Conservatives or Laborites, bringing a reaction in the political situation in England which it was hoped would be avoided. Cotton and grain bills, together with some London selling, sent London checks through $4.37, but the rate later rallied to a point fractionally up from Monday's final.

French francs, after their dip to close to a new low on Monday rebounded to 5.35 cents on profit-taking, and held most of the gain until the close, when it reacted to 5.24½ cents. Belgian francs moved up 2½ points to 4.58¼ cents. Italian bills were steady around 4.33½ cents, although it had been as high as 4.34¼ in the forenoon. Holland, Spanish and the Scandinavians were firm. The Chinese rates all improved, Hongkong, Shanghai and Peking bills selling up ⅛ to ⅜ cent higher on sharp demand for silver, due to proximity of holidays and scarcity of the metal.

German marks were nominally quoted at 25 cents per trillion, or 4,000 billion for one dollar, compared with 5,000 billion a week ago, and 6,666 a year ago.

TUESDAY, DEC. 18, 1923.

Range of Rates, Sight Exchange.

	High.	Low.	Final.	Monday's Final.
LONDON	$4.37⅛	$4.36⅛	$4.37⅛	$4.37¼
PARIS	5.25	5.23½	5.24½	5.21
ROME	4.34¼	4.33¼	4.33½	4.33¼
AMSTERDAM	38.15	38.10	38.12	38.10
*BERLIN	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000
MADRID	13.08	13.05	13.06	13.04
STOCKHOLM	26.38	26.30	26.32	26.37½

†Value of $1.00 in billions of marks.

CLOSING RATES.

In the subjoined table the quotation on sterling represents dollars and decimals of a dollar; all others represent cents and decimals of a cent. Quotations preceded by the decimal mark indicate a price measured in fractions of a cent.

Europe.

	Tues-day.	Mon-day.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
STERLING—Par $4.86⅔ per sovereign.				
Demand	$4.37⅛	$4.37⅛	$4.39⅝	$4.61¼
Cables	4.37⅛	4.37½	4.39	4.61½
Com., 60 days	4.34½	4.34½	4.35⅝	4.59⅝
Com., 90 days	4.33¼	4.33	4.34½	4.58⅝
FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	5.24½	5.21	5.33¼	7.45¼
Cables	5.23	5.21½	5.35⅜	7.46
ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira.				
Demand	4.33½	4.33¼	4.37	5.00⅛
Cables	4.34	4.33⅝	4.37½	5.00
BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	4.58½	4.56	4.65	6.62
Cables	4.59	4.58⅛	4.66½	6.63½
GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark.				
Demand—.000000000025	.000000000025	.000000000020	.0148	
Cables—.000000000025	.000000000025	.000000000020	.0148	
AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	.0014⅛	.0014⅛	.0014⅛	.0014½
Cables	.0014⅛	.0014⅛	.0014⅛	.0014½
CZECHOSLOVAKIA — Par 20.8 cents per crown.				
Demand	2.93	2.93¼	2.93¾	3.05
Cables	2.93	2.93¼	2.93¾	3.05
DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krona.				
Demand	17.87	17.82	17.85	20.68
Cables	17.90	17.84	17.87	20.70
FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark.				
Demand	2.47	2.47½	2.48	2.52
Cables	2.47	2.47½	2.48	2.53
GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma.				
Demand	1.75	1.80	1.97	1.40
Cables	1.81	1.83	2.00	1.43
HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin.				
Demand	38.12	38.10	38.28	39.82
Cables	38.16	38.14	38.32	39.87
HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	.0052½	.0053	.0054	.04⅝
Cables	.0052½	.0053	.0054	.04⅝
NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone.				
Demand	14.97	14.98	15.03	19.05
Cables	15.00	15.00	15.08	19.07
POLAND—Par 23.8 cents per mark.				
Demand	.000022	.000023	.000030	.0057
Cables	.000022	.000028	.000080	.0057
PORTUGAL—Par $1.0805 per escuda.				
Demand	3.64	3.66	3.67	4.74
Cables	3.69	3.71	3.72	4.84
RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu.				
Demand	.51⅛	.52	.51⅛	.60⅛
Cables	.51⅛	.52	.51⅛	.60⅛
SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta.				
Demand	13.06	13.04	13.07	1.08
Cables	13.08	13.06	13.09	1.08
SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krona.				
Demand	26.32	26.27½	26.32	15.70
Cables	26.35	26.29½	26.35	15.72
SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	17.43	17.43¾	17.45	26.89
Cables	17.45	17.45½	17.47	26.91
YUGOSLAVIA—Par 19.3 cents per dinar.				
Demand	1.13¾	1.14¼	1.14¼	18.91
Cables	1.15⅝	1.14¼	1.14¼	18.93

Far East.

CHINA—Cents per silver dollar for Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking.				
Hongkong—				
Demand	51.50	51.44	51.13	52.88
Cables	51.62	51.56	51.25	53.00
Peking—				
Demand	78.00	77.50	77.50	75.50
Shanghai—				
Demand	74.38	74.13	73.13	70.38
Cables	74.50	74.25	73.25	70.50
INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, nominally stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.				
Demand	30.88	30.93	30.88	30.75
Cables	31.00	31.05	31.00	30.875
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS — Manila: cents per silver peso.				Par 50
Demand	49.50	49.50	49.50	50.25
Cables	49.625	49.75	49.625	50.50
JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.				
Demand	37.50	37.50	37.50	39.25
JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.				
Demand	46.63	46.72	46.75	48.81
Cables	46.75	46.85	46.875	48.93

South America.

ARGENTINA—Par 42.44 cents per Argentine paper dollar.				
Demand	32.00	32.75	31.75	37.90
Cables	32.125	32.35	31.875	37.95
BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis.				
Demand	9.45	9.50	9.20	12.15
Cables	9.50	9.55	9.25	12.20
CHILE—Par 36.5 cents per paper peso.				
Demand	10.60	10.55	10.65	12.55
Cables	10.65	10.60	10.70	12.60
PERU—Par $4.8665 per pound.				
Checks	4.05	4.07	4.04	4.27
Cables	4.06	4.08	4.06	4.28
URUGUAY—Par $1.0342 per gold peso.				
Demand	78.12	78.12	77.51	84.75
Cables	78.47	78.47	77.86	85.10

Canada.

MONTREAL—Par 100 cents per Canadian dollar.				
Demand	97.50	97.50	97.47	99.92

Russian Currency.

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows:

(Par, 51.40 cents per ruble.)

	Bid.	Ask.
100 ruble notes, per ruble	.07	.12
500 ruble notes, per ruble	.02¼	.02¾

EARNINGS.

Detroit Edison—

	1923.	1922.	Increase.
Nov. gross	$2,859,665	$2,461,210	$398,455
Bal. after taxes	901,655	685,735	215,920
Sur aft. chgs.	557,214	356,031	201,183
11 mo. gross	28,498,508	23,589,722	4,908,785
Bal. after taxes	8,126,458	6,238,829	1,887,630
Sur. after chgs.	4,268,855	2,665,127	1,603,728

Philadelphia Rapid Transit—

	1923.	1922.	Increase.
Nov. gross	$3,634,063	$3,494,545	$139,538
Bal. after taxes and chgs.	185,566	184,236	1,330
11 mos. gross	40,002,565	39,647,717	2,355,148
Bal. after taxes and chgs.	1,890,729	1,850,258	40,471

Utah Securities Corp.—
(Earnings of subsidiaries).

	1923.	1922.	Increase.
Nov. gross	$910,558	$806,937	$103,621
Bal. after taxes	466,880	417,469	49,411
12 mos. gross	10,037,160	8,748,349	1,288,811
Bal. after taxes	5,156,530	4,818,098	338,432

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We quote from letters received from independent authorities on land value, construction cost, earnings, location and demand.

"It is our opinion that the site of the proposed hotel on the northwest corner of Second and Chestnut Streets, will be worth $150,000 upon completion of the proposed modern hotel." From J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate and Insurance, Wilmington, N. C. (Two other letters substantiating our own appraisal of land value are contained in the circular describing these bonds.)

"I figure the Cape Fear Hotel will cost approximately $750,000 including all construction costs, architect's fees, loan expenses, furnishing and equipment." From Raymond C. Snow & Company, Architects, Atlanta, Ga. (Two other letters on building costs are printed in the descriptive circular.)

"I have made a careful and conservative estimate of income and expense of the proposed Cape Fear Hotel of Wilmington, N. C., and attached hereto is a detail of my estimate.

"These figures show a gross annual income of $174,944, and a total annual operating expense, including 15% estimated vacancies, of $88,754, leaving as the net annual earnings $86,190, which figure I am sure is extremely conservative." From J. L. Alexander, Proprietor Ottaray Hotel, Greenville, S. C. (In our own estimate of earnings we have allowed for 20% vacancies, and estimate a net income of only $77,838.)

"Undoubtedly there is both room and need for such a hotel and for some time there has been public demand for such. The growth of the city, especially in the way of tourist travel, is emphasizing this demand. A new modern hotel, properly conducted, should be a highly paying investment, in my opinion." From James H. Cowan, Mayor, City of Wilmington, N. C. (Three other letters on the demand for hotel accommodations in Wilmington, and on the advantageous location of the Cape Fear Hotel, are contained in the bond circular.)

FEATURES OF THIS ISSUE

The Cape Fear Hotel will be a modern tourist-commercial hotel of the highest type, nine stories in height, of modern fireproof construction, and containing 150 guest rooms, each with bath.

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50,000	City of Medicine Hat 5½s	1938	6.00%

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$25,000	Great Western Power 5s	1946	5.50%
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10,000	Southern Railway Gen. & Ref. 6s	1956	6.25%
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Assessed valuation	11,376,000
Total Debt (this issue only)	1,500,000

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E. St. Louis & Suburban 5's, 1932
U. S. Pub. Service 6's, 1927, & 6s, 1947
Illinois, Pr. & Lt. 6's, 1953
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HOLLAND FINDS COAL SUPPLY OF HER OWN

Within Two Years She Will Be Independent as to Fuel, Says Baron Krayenhoff.

RECALLS START OF WAR

Declares There Was No Truth in Report That Germans Passed Through Dutch Province.

Baron C. R. T. Krayenhoff, head of the Netherlands railways, who is to return home today on the Veendam, said in an interview at the McAlpin yesterday that coal has been discovered in Holland. Within two years, he predicted, enough will be mined for the needs of that country.

The deposit, said Baron Krayenhoff, is in the Peel, which takes in Limburg and North Brabant, between the Meuse and Aa Rivers. Until now all the coal used in Holland has come from England or Germany.

Baron Krayenhoff said he desired to correct the impression that the Germans went through Limburg, the southern Dutch province, to enter Belgium at the beginning of the war. Belgians, he declared, have spread this charge. When the German forces reached the Holland line they were met by the whole Dutch Army and did not attempt to pass through. Baron Krayenhoff said he was at staff headquarters at the time and therefore had first-hand information on the facts. While some of Holland's population may have been sympathetic toward Germany's aims, the Baron said the country as a whole was absolutely neutral.

He asserted most Hollanders are amused at the interest foreign countries, especially France and the United States, have taken in the former Kaiser living in Doorn. In Holland the ex-Kaiser is regarded as any other refugee and deserving of no more thought than any one else, said the Baron.

Asked about the Crown Prince's return to the Fatherland, he declared that Holland not only did not have the power to hold him but was very glad that he left. The expense of watching him, he said, was tremendous.

The Baron said he was amazed at the wealth and progress of America and at the friendship every one has for his country. His slogan for Americans is: "Be America first, but don't miss Holland, the cradle of liberty." Seals bearing this message will be pasted on letters to the United States.

Baron Krayenhoff came to attend a conference of railroad and shipping men which was held last Tuesday aboard the Conte Rosso.

California Oil Output Shrinks.

The daily average crude oil production of California for November was 746,595 barrels, compared with 792,787 barrels for October, according to the American Petroleum Institute. Total stocks of crude oil, residuum and tops held in California at the end of November were 89,093,345 barrels, compared with 85,349,550 barrels at the end of October.

Cable Deal Not Yet Completed.

The meeting of the stockholders of the All-America Cable Company yesterday to consider the purchase of the French Antilles cable system was adjourned until Dec. 27. It was reported that the negotiations were not in shape for final action.

TIMBER LAND TRANSFER.

American Paper Concern, in Deal With Its Canadian Subsidiary.

The Union Bag and Paper Company has turned over 500 square miles of timber-bearing lands in Canada to its Canadian subsidiary, the St. Maurice Paper Company, Ltd. The property, which is included in the so-called Crown lands, is credited with containing 1,250,000 cords of pulpwood, and according to C. R. McMillen, Vice President of the Union Bag and Paper Company, has been held by the company for a number of years. Inasmuch as export of pulpwood from Crown lands is prohibited, he said, the parent company decided that the Canadian company should make use of the property.

According to reports, the St. Maurice Paper Company was to make its first payment in the form of 2,500 shares of its capital, of which $7,899,900 is outstanding and of which the Union Bag and Paper Company owns 62 per cent., thus increasing the outstanding capital to $8,149,900. The balance was to be paid in cash instalments over a series of years until a total of $1,250,000 was turned over to the American company, the total being equal to about $1 per cord of wood. The method of payment, Mr. McMillen said, is still being discussed.

BUYS TIMBER FOR AUTOS.

Fisher Body Corporation Acquires 100,000 Acres of Forest.

DETROIT, Dec. 18.—The Fisher Body Corporation announced today the purchase of approximately 100,000 acres of standing timber in Tennessee, Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi to "insure an uninterrupted flow of raw materials." The purchase price was not announced. The properties will be operated by a subsidiary company now being organized under the name of the Fisher-Hurd Lumber Company, of which O. P. Hurd of Memphis, Tenn., will be President.

The newly acquired properties include logging and cuting equipment, according to the announcement. The acreage will yield, it is estimated, 750,000,000 feet of lumber.

FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

Prices Steadier Yesterday—Government Bonds Move Uncertainly.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Prices were steadier on the Stock Exchange today. Old 2 per cent. consols ⅛ lower at 55½; 5 per cent. war loan 1 lower at 99½; 4½ per cent. war loan unchanged at 96⅝. De Beers Mining ⅛ lower at 11⅜; Rand Mines unchanged at 3.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—Prices were firm on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 29 centimes lower at 53 francs 40 centimes; 5 per cent. war loan 35 centimes higher at 68 francs 80 centimes. Exchange on London 70 centimes higher at 83 francs 60 centimes per sovereign; American dollars 19 francs 8 centimes, against 18.9 yesterday.

Entertain Their Employes.

Merrill, Lynch & Co. will give their annual Christmas dinner and dance to their staff at the Hotel Pennsylvania Thursday night. More than 350 guests will be entertained, a number of whom will be from out-of-town offices of the corporation.

Cuban-American Sugar Directors.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

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20¾	12	1,000	Western Pacific	15	15⅛	15	15⅛	— ⅝	15	16
63⅜	53	300	Western Pacific pf. (6)	60½	60½	60½	60½	— ½	60½	61
120	76	100	Westinghouse A. B. (6)	85	85	85	85	— 1	83	86
67¼	52½	2,300	Westinghouse E. & M. (4)	60¼	60⅝	60	60	— ⅝	59⅝	60
10⅝	6	800	Wheeling & Lake Erie	7	7	7	7	—	7	7⅞
19	10	100	Wheeling & L. E. pf.	13¼	13¼	13¼	13¼	— 1⅛	13¼	14
30¾	20	1,100	White Eagle Oil (12¼)	25	25½	24¾	24¾	— 1½	24½	24⅞
60⅞	45	3,300	White Motors (4)	56⅜	56⅝	55	55	— 2½	54⅝	55¼
5⅞	⅛	500	White Oil	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	— ⅛	⅞	⅞
1	⅝	300	White Oil stfs.	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	—	⅝	⅝
14	2	2,800	Wickwire Spencer Steel	3½	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛	3½	3¾
42⅝	19	800	Wilson & Co.	23¼	23¼	23	23	— 1	23	23¼
87	63	100	Wilson & Co. pf. (7)	65	65	65	65	—	65½	68
11¼	5	17,500	Willys-Overland	10¼	10⅝	9⅜	9⅜	— ⅛	9⅜	9⅝
81½	42½	15,300	Willys-Overland pf.	80	81½	78½	79	— 1	78½	79
38⅝	23	100	Wisconsin Central	34⅞	34⅞	34⅝	34⅞	— 1	33	34½
288	190½	500	Woolworth (F. W.) Co. (8)	278	279½	275½	275½	— 2	275	277
40¼	19½	500	Worthington Pump	25¾	26	25	25	— ⅝	24	26
13¼	8¼	100	Wright Aeronautical (1)	12⅜	12⅝	12⅜	12⅝	— ⅛	12½	13
40	38	600	Wrigley (Wm. Jr.) (3)	38	38⅝	38	38	— ⅛	38	38½
80	62	100	Youngstown S. & T. (5)	68⅝	69⅝	68⅝	68⅝	..	67	69
			RIGHTS.							
1⅞	1¼	15,040	Consolidated Gas	1½	1½	1½	1½	..	..	..
1⅝	1⅛	1,035	Hupp Motor	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	..	..	..
⅞	¼	2,764	New York Central	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	— ⅛	..	..
3⅝	3¼	9,570	N. Y. Central, Reading	3⅝	3½	3¾	3¾	— ⅛	..	..

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

DOMESTIC BONDS.

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2..... 96⅛ | 5..... 96 | 1..... 96⅝ | 7..... 97
Penn 4s, 1948 | 7..... 88½
Penn Co gtd gold 4s, 1931 | 3..... 91⅞ | 2..... 92
con 4½s, 1960 | 72..... 94⅜
gen 4½s, '65 | 1..... 90½ | 4..... 90⅝ | 4..... 90¾
gen 5s, 1968 | 1..... 99⅝ | 3..... 99½ | 2..... 99⅞ | 3..... 99⅝ | 8..... 99⅞ | 2..... 100
6½s, 1936 | 20..... 108 | 1..... 108¼ | 1..... 108
gold 7s, 1930 | 2..... 107⅝ | 4..... 107¾
Pere Marq 1st 5s, 1956 | 2..... 91⅝ | 2..... 91¾ | 5..... 91½ | 1st 4s, 1956 | 9..... 78¼
Phil Bal & W 4s, 1943 | 1..... 88⅝
Phila Co 1st & ref 5s, Ser A, 1944 | 1..... 99⅞ | 1..... 99⅝ | 1..... 99⅝ | 2..... 99⅝
Pierce Arrow deb 8s, 1943 | 2..... 76⅝ | 2..... 76¾ | 1..... 76⅝ | 2..... 76¾ | 1..... 76⅝
Pitts C C & St L gtd 4½s, Ser A, 1940 | 5..... 94
Pleasant V C 5s, 1928 | 1..... 94
Portland Ry L & P 1st cr 5s, 1942 | 1..... 81 | 2..... 81¼ | 1..... 81¼ | 5..... 80¼ | 1..... 81½
1st & ref 5s, Ser B, 1947 | 1..... 91
Producers & R s f 8s, 1931 | 3..... 71 | 25..... 71⅛ | 30..... 70¾ | 4..... 70⅝ | 3..... 71⅛
with war | 10..... 111
Pub Serv Corp s f 6s, 1959 | 1..... 79⅝ | 3..... 79
Punta Alegre Sug s f 7s, 1937 | 2..... 105¼ | 1..... 109 | 5..... 106⅝
Reading gen 4s, 1997 | 9..... 86¼ | 3..... 86⅝
Reading Jer Cen col 4s, 1951 | 2..... 82¼
Remgtn Arms 1st 6s, Ser A, 1937 | 1..... 93½ | 2..... 92¼
Rep Iron & St 5½s, 1953 | 5..... 88¼ | 7..... 88
s f 5s, 1940 | 2..... 92¼
Rio Gd W 1st 4s, 1939 | 1..... 76½
col tr 4s, 1949 | 1c..... 61¼
Rutland R R 1st con 4½s, 1941 | 8..... 80
St Jo Ry L H & P 5s, 1937 | 5..... 78½ | 1..... 78 | 1..... 79¾
St L Ir Mt & So gen 5s, 1931 | 1..... 95⅞ | 1..... 95⅝ | 1..... 95⅞ | 2..... 95⅞
St L Ry gen 5s, 1931 | 1..... 98 | prior lien 4s, Ser A, 1950 | 2..... 89½ | 11..... 89½
prior lien 5s, Ser B, 1950 | 1..... 80⅜ | 4..... 80
prior lien 6s, Ser C, 1925 | 9..... 98½
1st mtge 5½s, Ser D, 1942 | 2..... 87⅛ | 1..... 87⅛ | adj 6s, 1935 | 7..... 71¾ | 1..... 71⅝ | 1..... 71¾ | 15..... 71½ | 5..... 71 | 25..... 71⅛ | 30..... 70¾ | 4..... 70⅝ | 3..... 71⅛ | 10..... 71
1st con 4½s, 1951 | 2..... 92¼
Saks & Co s f 7s, 1942 | 2..... 103
San An & A P 4s, 1948 | 2..... 71¼ | 18..... 71
Seaboard Air L gold 4s, 1950, stpd | 2..... 58¼ | ref 4s, 1959 | 1..... 48 | 5..... 47⅝ | 4..... 47¼ | con 6s, 1945 | 6..... 68¼ | 11..... 68 | 6..... 68½ | 2..... 68¾ | 3..... 68¼ | 12..... 68 | 2..... 68¼ | adj 5s, 1949 | 6..... 44⅜ | 1..... 44 | 2..... 43⅝ | 5..... 43⅛
Sharn Stl Hp s f 8s, Ser A | 2..... 99⅜ | 1..... 99⅜
Sheffield Fms 1st & ref 6½s, 1942 | 1..... 101
Sinclair Con 1st 6½s, 1938 | 1..... 87¾ | 2..... 87¾ | 1..... 87¾ | 6..... 87½ | 5..... 87¾ | coll 7s, 1937 | 6..... 94 | 3..... 94 | 1..... 94⅛
Sinclair Crude Oil pur 5½s, Ser A, 1925 | 12..... 97⅜ | 10..... 97½
pur g 6s, Ser B, 1926 | 1..... 97⅛
Sinclair Pipe Lines s f 5s, 1942 | 4..... 81¼ | 5..... 81⅛ | 1..... 81⅛
So Car & G ext 5½s, 1929 | 1..... 99
Southn Col P 1st 5s, Ser A, 1947 | 2..... 86¾
So Porto Rico Sug coll s f 7s, 1941 | 3..... 101½
So Pac col 4s, 1949 | 10..... 83¼ | 14..... 83¼ | 1..... 83 | 10..... 82⅞
conv 4s, 1929 | 1..... 92⅜ | 1..... 92½
1st ref 4s, 1955 | 8..... 80⅝
Southern Ry 1st 5s, 1994 | 10..... 95½ | 2..... 95⅝ | 2..... 95½
gen 4s, 1956 | 2..... 85⅞ | 2..... 85⅞ | 1..... 86⅛ | 8..... 86⅜
dev 6½s, 1956 | 5..... 101 | 12..... 101¼ | 1..... 101 | 8..... 101¼
6s, Intm rcts 1956 | 10..... 96½
St L div 4s, 1951 | 1..... 81
Std Gas & El conv 6s, 1926 | 5..... 99⅜
Sugar Est of Or 7s, 1942 | 2..... 96½
Tenn Elec 1st & ref 6s, A, 1947 | 2..... 93⅜ | 2..... 93⅞ | 5..... 93⅝ | 5..... 93⅜ | 7..... 93⅝ | 2..... 94
Texas & Pac 1st 5s, 2000 | 1..... 92⅜ | 2..... 92½
Third Avenue ref 4s, 1960 | 15..... 53¼ | 25..... 53 | 2..... 55½ | adj 5s, 1960 | 1..... 43¾
Title Water Oil 6½s, 1931 | 6..... 103¾
Tobacco Prod s f 7s, 1951 | 1..... 107⅞
Toledo Edison 1st 7s, 1941 | 4..... 105⅜ | 3..... 106
Tol & Ohio C gen 5s, 1935 | 1..... 91¼
Union El L & P 5s, 1932 | 2..... 96⅜
5s, 1933 | 2..... 91¾
Un Oil of Cal 5s, A, 1942 | 2..... 98⅞
Union Pacific 1st 4s, 1997 | 7..... 90¾ | 7..... 90⅞ | 2..... 91
1st lien & ref 5s, temp, 2008 | 27..... 100
6s, 1928 | 1..... 102⅝ | 1..... 102⅝
Un Tank Car eq 7s, 1930 | 1..... 103¾ | 2..... 103
United Drug conv 6s, 1941 | 4..... 110⅛
Un Fuel Gas 6s, 1936 | 1..... 92⅛
U S Rubber 1st & ref 5s, 1947 | 17..... 84⅜ | 2..... 85 | 1(c)..... 85⅞ | 1..... 85 | 2..... 84⅜
7½s, 1930 | 1..... 102⅝ | 1..... 102⅞ | 2..... 103 | 2..... 102⅝
U S Sm, R&M cnv 8% notes 1926 | 6..... 100
US Steel Corp s f 5s, 1963 | 2..... 102⅝ | 1..... 102⅞ | 8..... 102⅞ | 28..... 102⅞
Utah Lt & Tr 1st & ref 5s, A, 1944 | 5..... 70½ | 3..... 70½
Utah Power & Light 5s 1944 | 1..... 83 | 7..... 83½ | 1..... 83⅝ | 1..... 83⅞ | 1..... 83½
Va-Car Chem s f 7s, 1947 | 4..... 82 | 10..... 82½ | 1..... 82⅜ | 4..... 82⅝ | 2..... 83 | 1..... 82⅜
s f conv 7½s 1947 | 1..... 82
Va Ry 1st 5s, 1962 | 7..... 68⅜ | 7..... 68 | 5..... 68¼ | 3..... 68¼ | 23..... 68⅜
Wabash 1st 5s, '39 | 4..... 96⅜
2d 5s, 1939 | 2..... 87½ | 4..... 87½
Warner Sug 1st s f 7s, 1941 | 13..... 104
Wn Md 4s, '52 | 4..... 58
Wn N Y & P gen 4s, 1943 | 2..... 76¼
West Pac 5s, 1946 | 1..... 80⅜ | 10..... 81
West Penn Pw 5s, 1946 | 1..... 90 | 1..... 89¾
1st 5s, 1963, Ser E | 6..... 87⅜ | 3..... 87½ | 2..... 87½
1st 6s, 1956 | 2..... 101
1st 7s, 1946, Ser D | 8..... 104⅞
WestShores, 2361 | 2..... 70
Wn Un Tel 6½s 1936 | 8..... 108⅜ | 10..... 109
West E & M 7s, 1931 | 5..... 107⅛ | 5..... 107
Wheel & L E 1st con 4s, 1949 | 5..... 60¼
ref 4½s, Ser A | 6..... 54½
Wickwire Spnc Stl s f 7s, 1935 | 4..... 81 | 1..... 80¾ | 1..... 80
Wilson & Co 1st 6s, 1941 | 1..... 93½ | 1..... 93¾ | 2..... 93 | 4..... 93½
conv 7½s, '31 | 1..... 93¾ | 2..... 93⅞ | 3..... 94⅛ | 2..... 94⅝ | 3(3)..... 94⅜ | 3(3)..... 94⅞
Wis Cen gen 4s, 1949 | 9..... 77¼ | 10..... 77
Youngstown S & T temp 6s, 1942 | 2..... 84½ | 2..... 84⅝ | 5..... 84⅞ | 2..... 84¾ | 22..... 84 | 1..... 84½ | 2..... 84½

New Orleans Gt. Northern
1st 5s 1955

St. Lawrence & Adirondack
2nd 6s 1996

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BONDS
Alabama Pow. Co. 5s, 1946
Dayton Pow. & Lt. 5s, 1941
Dallas Gas Co. 6s, 1940
Cent. Miami Power 5s, 1939
Habirsh. El. Cable 7s, 1935
Island Ref. 7s, 1929
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MORE COMPANIES INCREASE DIVIDENDS

Financial and Industrial Corporations Announce Changes in Rate of Payment.

SEVERAL EXTRA PAYMENTS

Lord & Taylor Order $16 on Second Preferred—Brown Shoe Declares a Special.

Several favorable dividend announcements by financial and industrial corporations were made public yesterday. The People's Gas Light and Coke Company declared a quarterly dividend of $1.75 a share, equal to $7 annually, payable Jan. 17, 1924, to stockholders of record Jan. 3. Heretofore the company has been paying a quarterly dividend of $1.50 a share, equal to $6 annually.

Lord & Taylor, yesterday declared a dividend of $16 a share on the company's second preferred stock, payable Dec. 20 to stockholders of record Dec. 14. This disbursement is on account of cumulative dividends due on this issue, and makes a total of $50 a share paid on this account this year in addition to a quarterly dividend of $2 a share, making a total of $82 for 1923.

An extra dividend of 25 cents a share, in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents a share, was declared yesterday on the common stock of the Intertype Corporation, both dividends being payable Feb. 15, 1924, to stockholders of record Feb. 1. The regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. on the first preferred stock and the semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. on the second preferred stock also were declared. The preferred dividends are payable Jan. 2, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 20.

The Ohio Fuel Supply Company declared a quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent., placing the issue on a basis of 10 per cent. annually. Heretofore the company has been paying quarterly dividends of 1¼ per cent. and extra dividends of 1 per cent.

The Westmoreland Coal Company declared an extra dividend of 50 cents a share in addition to the regular quarterly payment of $1 a share. Both dividends are payable Jan. 2, to stockholders of record Dec. 21.

A dividend of $1.50 a share quarterly was declared by the Westinghouse Air Brake Company, according to advices received in Wall Street from Pittsburgh. This is an increase of ten cents a share over the payments declared in the two previous quarters. The dividend is payable Jan. 31, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 21.

The Nevada-California Electric Corporation declared a dividend of 2% per cent. on the preferred stock, payable in preferred shares. This amount covers all accumulated dividends due on this issue and is payable Dec. 31, 1923, to stockholders of record Dec. 15. The directors declared the regular quarterly dividend of $1.75 a share, payable in cash, on the preferred stock. The cash dividend is payable Feb. 1, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 29.

A special dividend of 1 per cent., in addition to the regular monthly payment of 1 per cent., has been declared on the capital stock of the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company, the special dividend being payable Dec. 22 to stockholders of record Dec. 15, while the regular dividend is payable Jan. 1 to stockholders of record Dec. 18.

Directors of the Electric Light and Power Company of Abingdon and Rockland, according to Boston advices, have declared an extra dividend of $2 a share, in addition to the quarterly dividend of $2 a share. Both dividends are payable Jan. 2, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 20.

The Naumkeag Steam Cotton Company declared an extra dividend of 1 per cent., in addition to the regular quarterly payment of 3 per cent., both dividends being payable Jan. 2 to stockholders of record Dec. 14. This is the first dividend paid by the company since the distribution of a 100 per cent. stock dividend on Oct. 17, increasing the company's capital to $6,000,000. Under the old capitalization, the company during the first three quarters of this year paid 12 per cent. in form of regular dividends and 3 per cent. in extra dividends.

The Board of Trustees of the American Surety Company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent. and an extra dividend of one-half of 1 per cent. on the capital stock of the company, both payable on Dec. 31 to stockholders of record Dec. 22.

The New York Title and Mortgage Company authorized an increase in the annual dividend rate to 12 per cent. with the declaration of a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent., payable Jan. 2, 1924, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 21, 1923. New stock issued on Dec. 1 will receive the dividend pro rata from that date.

The Title Guarantee and Trust Company declared an extra dividend of 8 per cent. and the regular 3 per cent. quarterly dividend. The regular dividend and half of the extra will be paid Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 22. The other half of the extra dividend will be paid March 31, 1924, to stock of record on March 22.

The Empire Trust Company declared a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent. and an extra dividend of 4 per cent., payable on Dec. 31 to stockholders of record Dec. 22. The transfer books will not be closed.

A quarterly dividend of $3 a share, payable Jan. 2, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 21, was declared by the Board of Directors of the Irving Bank-Columbia Trust Company.

The Central Union Trust Company of New York announced the declaration of the regular quarterly dividend of 8 per cent., payable Jan. 2, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 21.

The American Exchange National Bank declared a quarterly dividend of 4 per cent., payable on Jan. 2 to stockholders of record Dec. 26.

The Textile Banking Corporation has declared the regular quarterly dividend of $2, payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 24. The directors also approved a 10 per cent. bonus for employes, based on their annual salaries.

The Commonwealth Bank declared its regular semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent., payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 19.

The Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn declared an extra dividend of 3 per cent. and a regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent., both payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 28.

The Hanover National Bank announced a regular quarterly dividend of 6 per cent., payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 19.

INSURANCE CO. DIVIDENDS.

Metropolitan Life Policy Holders Will Receive About $11,000,000.

The directors of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company declared dividends yesterday payable to holders of its industrial policies in 1924 amounting in round figures to $11,000,000. According to the company this is an increase of about $2,000,000 over the dividends paid in 1923, and is made possible by the greatly increased business of the company in the last year.

The directors appointed the following as Assistant Secretaries: Donald R. Armstrong, M. D., who has been in charge of the experiment conducted by the company at Framingham, Mass., in an attempt to wipe out tuberculosis in that municipality, and whose work will be in connection with the company's health and welfare work; Howard L. Dohrman, Secretary to the President for more than twenty-five years; C. Eugene Tully, in the service of the company for about twenty-five years and Secretary to the late Second Vice President Woodward, and Earl C. Dunlap, formerly actuary of the Pittsburgh Life and Trust Company, who came with the Metropolitan when the business of the Pittsburgh company was taken over by the former.

WHEAT CLOSES EASY AS BUYING LAGS

Strength in Corn Helps to Brace Up Both Wheat and Oats.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—The wheat trade is carrying 125,000,000 bushels or more in the way of hedges. In the meantime every effort has been made to depress prices, with limited effect. Every one knows that stocks are large and prices here higher than in Canada, and relatively higher than abroad, yet they are making no headway in getting prices down. The present situation is the worst that has been known in a good many years.

Apparently there was buying against the 1,000,000 bushels of Manitoba wheat sold to exporters who are carrying stocks in Winter storage at Eastern lake ports. This had a strengthening effect for a time early, but later the support gave way and the finish was easy and disappointing to holders. Strength in corn had more influence in bracing up the wheat and oats markets than any other factor.

R. O. Cromwell of Lamson Bros. Co. estimates the Winter wheat acreage for 1924 crop at 40,671,000 acres, a reduction of 12.9 per cent. from the 46,695,000 acres seeded last year. The Government report gives 39,522,000 acres harvested this year. Condition of 90.6 is the highest for December since 1915, comparing with 79.8 last year and a ten-year average of 86.5.

Estimated yield is 562,000,000 bushels, a ten-year average abandonment of acreage is 10.7 per cent., while this year's figures are based on a loss of 3 per cent., which would leave 39,450,000 acres for harvest.

Primary receipts of wheat today were 1,080,000 bushels; last year, 1,846,000, and shipments, 531,000 bushels; last year 493,000.

The Government report on corn, while considered moderately bearish, brought all the selling pressure and lowest prices around the start, while an absorption of the offerings, with covering of a big line of shorts by a local trader who had a spread between May and July, was the most important factor. There was also buying by Jackson & Mincer, which absorbed the offerings.

A cash corn man who operates largely in the West says that, while Illinois and Iowa farmers are not selling any corn to speak of, Minnesota and the Dakota farmers are selling at prices which permit an export business, with 100,000 bushels sold for export from Minneapolis yesterday.

Primary receipts of corn today were 1,596,000 bushels; last year, 1,738,000, and shipments, 754,000 bushels; last year, 408,000.

Today's Chicago prices for the principal commodities were as follows:

WHEAT.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year
Dec.	$1.06	$1.04⅜	$1.04⅜	$1.05¼	$1.27⅛
May	1.09⅜	1.08⅜	1.09	1.09⅝	1.25¼
July	1.07	1.06⅜	1.06⅜	1.07	1.15⅝

CORN.

Dec.	.71⅛	.70¾	.71⅜	.70⅝	.75¾
May	.73	.72⅛	.72⅝	.72¼	.74⅜
July	.73¼-⅝	.74¼	.73⅛	.74⅛	.74⅛

OATS.

Dec.	.42¾	.42⅛	.42¾	.42¼	.45¾
May	.45⅝	.45¾-⅝	.45¼-⅜	.45⅝	.47
July	.43⅝	.43⅛	.43⅝	.43¾	.43⅝

RYE.

May	.74⅜	.74⅛	.74⅛	.74⅛	.92⅜

PROVISIONS.

Lard—					
Jan.	12.10	11.97	12.10	12.10	10.50
May	12.10-12	12.02	12.10-12	12.15	...
Ribs—					
Jan.	9.75	9.70	9.75	...	...
May	10.00	9.90	9.97	9.97	...

UTILITY EARNINGS GROW.

Increases Shown in November Reports of Several Companies.

Substantial increases in earnings of public utility companies for November were indicated in reports made public yesterday. The Kansas City Power & Light Company reported a net income of $327,530, before depreciation, compared with $317,167 in the same month of last year. The Utah Securities Corporation reported that its earnings from subsidiaries, after making allowance for taxes, were $460,880, as compared with $417,469 in the same month of last year.

Another company to show an increase was the Philadelphia Rapid Transit, which reported a balance after the payment of taxes and charges amounting to $185,596, compared with $184,236 in the same month of last year.

Four Welsh Mines to Consolidate.

Consolidation of four large anthracite colleries in the Swansea district of South Wales into a new company, known as the United Anthracite Collieries, Ltd., was announced by local interests yesterday. The new company will have a nominal capital of £2,500,000, of which £1,500,000 will shortly be offered by the British, Foreign and Colonial Corporation, Ltd.

British Concern Shows Profit.

Carreras, Ltd., and Alexander Bogus-lavsky, Ltd., of London, report a balance for the fiscal year ended Oct. 31 of £305,500. This includes £65,967 excess profits duty refund. The directors recommended a final dividend at the rate of 25 per cent. per annum, free of income tax, for the half year, and the payment of a bonus dividend of 21 per ordinary share, free of tax.

Strike Shouldn't Affect Sugar.

Reports of a threatened railroad strike in Cuba are not likely to result in an increase in the price of sugar here, sugar men said yesterday. The movement of the new crop started only a few days ago and a strike would have no bearing on the market unless it should be prolonged greatly.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Charles E. Doyle & Co. have issued their December bulletin giving the yield, rate and current markets on securities in which they specialize.

The United States Mortgage & Trust Company is distributing its 1924 calendar bearing a painting of President Roosevelt and his cabinet discussing the Panama Canal.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts, Dec. 17, 6,106 packages. Top grades advanced ½c. Creamery, higher than extras, 55@55½c; extras, 92 score, 54@54½c; firsts, 90@91c; seconds, 84@86½c; lower grades 41@43c; centralized cars, 90 score, 49½c; 89 scores, 48@48½c; 88 score, 47@47½c; 84 to 87 score, 44½@46½c; unsalted, higher than extras, 57@57½c; extras, 92 scores, 55½@56½c; firsts, 90@91c; seconds, 84@86½c; held creamery, high scoring, 56½@57c; extras, 50c; firsts, 46½@49c; seconds, 43@46c; state dairy tubs, finest, 51@53½c; good to prime, 46@53c; common to fair, 40c@47c; ladles, current make, extras, 39@39½c; firsts, 37@40c; seconds, 31½@33c; lower grades, 30@31c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 32c; No. 2, 31c; lower grades, 29@30c.

EGGS—Receipts, Dec. 17, 12,117 cases. Western and southern fresh gathered show further decline. Fresh gathered extra, dozen, 49@52c; extra firsts, 46@48c; firsts, 41@44c; seconds and poorer, 30@40c; trade eggs, 25c@33c; dirties, No. 1, 31@32c; No. 2 and poorer, 25@30c; checks, 24@27c; do., mixed, 27@29c; refrigerator, firsts, to extra firsts, 30½@29c; seconds and poorer, 25@26c; do., whites, Pacific Coast, 32@36c; do., whites, nearby, various lots, 36@50c; nearby and western whites, 30@33c; do., checks, from local candling, 29@30c; processed whites, refrigerator, nearby, 36@43c; do., whites, refrigerator, Pacific Coast, 37@43c; do., mixed colors, refrigerator, western, 29@31c; New Jersey, hennery whites, closely selected, extras, 45@50c; other nearby hennery whites, closely selected extras, 39@44c; nearby and western hennery whites, average extras, 36@42c; firsts to extra firsts, 36@39c; nearby gathered whites, firsts to extra firsts, 29@36c; nearby gathered whites, under grades, 27@28c; mediums, 40 to 41 lbs. sc, 35@36c; Jersey whites, pullets, No. 1, 30@34c; other nearby whites, pullets, 28@30c; Pacific Coast, whites, firsts to extras, 34@35c; under grades, 30@33c; mediums, 41@34c; pullets, 29@31c; other western and southern gathered whites, 29@30c; New Jersey, hennery browns, extra fancy, light, 40@42c; other nearby and western hennery browns, extra fancy, light, 36@38c; other nearby and western hennery browns, extra firsts, 34@35c; other nearby and western hennery browns, firsts to extra firsts, 30@33c; nearby gathered browns, firsts to extra firsts, 29@30c; nearby gathered browns, under grades, 27@28c; mixed colors, refrigerator, nearby, 30@32c; do., refrigerator, western, 29@30c; refrigerator, firsts to extra firsts, 28@29c; refrigerator, seconds and poorer, 25@27c; checks, 24@25c.

COTTON MARKS TIME; TRADE BUYERS BUSY

Their Inquiries Just About Offset Pressure of Liquidation From Other Sources.

Despite a growing feeling that a somewhat more quiet cotton market would be natural at this season of the year, fluctuations continued yesterday. An early setback of half a cent was followed by a resumption of the concentrated buying movement of the previous session, and before certain speculative interests had completed their purchases prices had risen over $4 a bale. This carried May to $35.85, compared with $35.46, the low level of Saturday. While orders were in process of execution the market responded easily, but showed a tendency to ease off as the rush was over. Another census report on ginning is due at 10 o'clock tomorrow. Prices closed at an advance of 5 to a decline of 2 points. Liverpool made a full response to the sharp advance on this side late Monday, but later in the session lost a greater part of its recovery. Prices in both New York and New Orleans had rushed up so rapidly that overnight selling orders were executed at the opening. For a time buying proved sufficient to take contracts within 20 or 30 points of closing figures and commission house orders caused a recovery to around 34.90 for May. But houses with Southern connections had cotton for sale as the morning wore on, bringing a decline of half a cent before midday. Sales of spot cotton at interior markets have fallen off materially the past two weeks, with middling quotations again running under New York contract levels. This brought a certain degree of selling pressure and before cotton had all been digested May sold back to 34.40. Rumors that ginning figures tomorrow would show only 228,000 bales for the last period, compared with 169,000 last year, and reports of frosts in India served to steady the market at this point. Fewer contracts appeared for sale and the tone revealed a better degree of resistance.

Around midday the concentrated buying movement that started the running advance just before the close the previous day was resumed on a large scale. Blocks of cotton were taken from the ring in steadily increasing quantities, several brokers purchasing thousands of bales of May contracts at rapidly rising quotations. Though this movement met cotton on every advance, buying became so aggressive that May was rushed through 35 cents and above 35½ cents with hardly a reaction. At 35.30 this represented a rise of 90 points from low figures of the morning and twice that amount above the level of 33½ cents touched on Saturday.

Whether the interests engaged in buying operations were merely covering contracts sold on the rise above 35½ cents the day following the Washington report or were reversing their position and accumulating a line of cotton, it was difficult to determine. Prices responded vigorously to the purchasing movement, and as has so frequently happened the past few months, it required a sharp rise in quotations to bring out the volume of contracts necessary to fill orders. But after selling around 35¼ cents for May, large buying orders were not continued, and at the same time the market ran into more cotton. Fluctuations became erratic and the tone feverish the last hour, prices reacting 30 points or more in final trading. Closing prices were virtually unchanged on the day.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous Day.
Dec.	34.80	35.35	34.67	35.00@35.10	34.90
Jan.	34.20	34.65	33.87	34.22@34.23	34.28
Mar.	34.48	34.90	34.17	34.53@34.54	34.58
May	34.70	35.13	34.40	34.90@34.93	34.90
July	33.95	34.35	33.60	34.12@34.13	34.10
Oct.	28.25	28.70	28.05	28.35@28.36	28.30

The local market for spot cotton was steady, unchanged, 35.50c for middling uplands. Southern spot markets were: Galveston, 34.35c, unchanged; New Orleans, 35c, 100 points advance; Norfolk, 33.98c, unchanged; Augusta, 34.13c, unchanged; Memphis, 34c, unchanged; Houston, 34.15c, unchanged; Little Rock 34c, 50 points advance.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts....	41,299	54,418	25,800
Exports	10,357	1,500	1,400
Exports, season	2,623,328	2,724,628	3,494,309
N. Y. stocks....	139,977	115,111	71,007
Ports stocks	996,018	1,007,010	1,065,137
N. Y. arrivals..		4,056	3,486

Liverpool cables: Spot cotton, moderate demand, 43 points advance, 19.09d for middling. Sales 6,000, American 4,000; imports 34,000, American 9,000. Futures opened steady, 46 to 54 points advance. Closed easy, 11 to 23 points advance. Prices: Dec. 19.35d, Jan. 19.40d, March 19.44d, May 19.37d, July 18.98d.

Manchester—Yarns dull; cloth offers scarce.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds issued in this country and in American currency values:

	Bid.	Asked.
Argentine 5s, 1945	M.&S.	88¾
Argentine 7s, 1927	F.&A.	102
Austrian Gov. 7s, 1943	J.&D.	87½
Belgium 6s, 1925	J.&J.	96¾
Belgium 7½s, 1945	J.&J.	98
Belgium 8s, 1941	F.&A.	98
Brazil Cent. Rys. 7s, 1952	J.&D.	78½
Canada 2. S. 7s, 1942	M.&N.	99
City of Bergen 8s, 1945	M.&N.	103½
City of Berne 8s, 1945	M.&N.	106½
City of Bordeaux 6s, 1934	M.&N.	76½
City of Ct. Prague 7½s, '52	M.&N.	78½
City of P. Alegre 8s, 1961	J.&D.	92½
U. S. of Brazil 8s, 1941	J.&D.	95
U. S. of Brazil 7½s, 1952	A.&O.	96
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1926	A.&O.	99½
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1928	F.&A.	100½
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931	A.&O.	99¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1952	M.&N.	99
Holland-Amer. Line 4s, '47	M.&N.	78½
Rep. of Colombia 6½s, 1927	A.&O.	94½
Rep. of Chile 7s, 1942	M.&N.	94
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1941	F.&A.	104¾
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1928	A.&O.	102¾
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1946	M.&N.	103¾
Rep. of Chile 6s, 1953	M.&S.	88½
Chinese Gov. 5s, 1951	J.&D.	41
City of Christiania 8s, '45	A.&O.	106½
City of Copenhagen 5½s, '44	J.&J.	87½
City of Montevideo 8s, 1952	M.&N.	105½
Czechoslovak Rep. 8s, 1951	A.&O.	93¾
Rep. of Bolivia S. F. 8s, '47	M.&N.	88
Rep. Cuba ext. 5s, 1944	M.&S.	94¼
Rep. Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949	J.&J.	90¾
Rep. Cuba 5½s, 1953	J.&J.	90¾
Denmark 8s, 1945	A.&O.	107½
Denmark 6s, 1942	J.&J.	93
Danish Mun. 8s, Ser. A, '46	F.&A.	107
Danish Mun. 8s, Ser. B, '46	F.&A.	107¾
Dutch East Indies 6s, 1947	J.&J.	95¾
Dutch East Indies 6s, 1948	M.&S.	94¼
Dutch East Indies 6s, 1953	M.&S.	90
Framerican Ind. & Dev. 7½s, 1942	J.&J.	86½
French Gov. 7½s, 1941	J.&D.	92¾
French Gov. 8s, 1945	J.&D.	94¾
Italy 6½s, 1925	F.&A.	89¾
Japanese 4s, 1931	J.&J.	80
Japanese 4½s, 1925	J.&D.	83½
Japanese 6½s, 2d Ser., 1925	F.&A.	92¾
Oriental Dev. 6s, 1953	M.&S.	86
Jurgens U. M. Wks. 6s, '47	J.&J.	78½
City of Lyons 6s, 1934	M.&N.	77
City of Marseilles 6s, 1934	M.&N.	77½
City of Soissons 6s, 1936	M.&N.	75
U. S. of Mexico 4s, 1954	J.&D.	25
U. S. of Mexico 5s, 1945	J.&J.	45½
Mexican Irrigation 6½s, '43	J.&J.	51
Kingdom of Norway 6s, 1972	M.&S.	96
Kingdom of Norway 5s, '40	A.&O.	111¼
Kingdom of Norway 6s, '52	A.&O.	93¾
Kingdom of Norway 6s, '43	F.&A.	93¾
Kingdom of Serbia, C. & I. 8s, 1962	M.&N.	86
Paris, Lyons-Med. 6s, 1958	F.&A.	89½
Pauliista Ry. 7s, 1942	J.&J.	78
State of Queensland 7s, '41	F.&A.	100¾
State of Queensland 7s, '41	A.&O.	104¼
State of Rio Gr. do Sul 8s, 1946	A.&O.	93
Rio de Janeiro 8s, 1946	A.&O.	85½
Rio de Janeiro 8s, 1947	A.&O.	87½
Dominican Republic 8s, '58	F.&A.	100½
Dominican Rep. 5½s, 1942	M.&S.	87½
State of San Paulo 8s, 1936	J.&J.	97¼
City of Sao Paulo 8s, 1952	M.&N.	97
Dept. of the Seine 7s, 1942	J.&J.	82½
Kingdom of Sweden 6s, '39	J.&J.	104¾
Swiss Confederation 5s, '40	J.&J.	111¾
City of Tokio 5s	M.&S.	65½
Rep. of Uruguay 8s, 1946	F.&A.	103½
City of Zurich 6s, 1945	A.&O.	110¾
United Kingdom 5s, 1937	J.&D.	100¾
United Kingdom 5½s, 1937	F.&A.	100¾
U. S. S. Copenhagen 5s, '47	J.&J.	86

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930-193	102¾	
2s, c, 1930-193	102¾	
3s, r, 1946	99½	99
3s, c, 1946	99½	99
4s, r, 1925-1944	102¾	
4s, c, 1925-1944	102¾	
4s, r, 1925	102¾	
4s, c, 1925	102¾	
Pan 2s, r, 1936	102¾	103¾
Pan 2s, c, 1936	102¾	103¾
Pan 2s, r, 1961	92¼	93
Pan 2s, c, 1961	92¼	93
Pan 2s, r, 1938	102¾	
Pan 2s, c, 1938	102¾	

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Ex.	72	73
Alb & Sus.	158	
Alle & W.	95	96
All Real.	101	
Amal S 1st pf	100¼	102½
Am Bk N.	51	84
Am Bost.	74	76
pf	73¾	76
Am Br Sh	74	76
Do pf	104	107½
Am Car & Fdy pf	119	121
Am Cele pf	45	54
Am Coal	65	
Am Le Fr		
F B	10½	11¾
Do pf	93	95
Am Lo pf	114	116
Am Met pf	109	111
AmRad pf	120	
Am S&R pf	96¾	97
Am Shuff	132½	
Do pf	96	100
Am Steel F		
pf	101	102
Am Sug Ref		
pf	95	96
Am Su Tob		
pf	49	46
AmTob pf	100	101½
AmW Wks		
& Elec	25	29½
AmWhol pf	92	100
AmWool pf	88¾	100½
Ann Arbor	12	16
Art Metal	13½	17
Assets R	¼	⅝
Atl C D G		
2d pf	97	99
Atl Fruit	¾	1¼
Atl GW I	12	15½
Atl Ref pf	114	117½
Atlas Pow	53	54
Do pf	85	89½
Aust N pf	82	83½
Auto Sales	2¾	3
Do pf	11	13
Bald L pf	110	111½
Bangor&A		
pf	84	86
Barnet L	20½	25
Do pf	80	90
Bayuk Cig		
1st pf	96¼	98¼
2d pf	108	
Beech Crk	32½	40
Beechnut		
Packing	107	
Booth Fish		
1st pf	32	40
BritishEmp		
Steel	3½	4½
Do 1st pf	50¼	53½
Do 2d pf	12¾	13¾
Blumthl pf	90	93¼
Brown S pf	90	91
Buff R & P		
pf	80	90
Bun Br pf	1¼	
Buf & Sus	125	140
Do pf	91	94
Burns B pf	97	
Do pf	120	
Bush Term	68	75
Bush T Bld		
pf	86	91½
Canada Sc	52	
Car Hill G	1¾	4¼
Case (J I)	16	20
Cent Ag	60	70
C K Mills	25	29½
Do pf	90	97½
C RR N J	208	225
Certain-t	27	30
Do 1st pf	75	84
Do 2d pf	75	77½
C Wkl pf	94	100
Colo South		
1st pf	47	50
Do 2d pf	30	33
Colum Bk	68	80
Com Cr pf	90	96
Com Inv pf	103	104½
Con Cig pf	60	66½
Cons Dist		
Con Gas pf	106	107
Con Insur	95	
Corn Prod		
Ref pf	119¾	121
CosdeCo pf	99	101
Cres Carb	20	30
Cub RR pf	74	80
Cub D Sug	6¼	6¾
Dayt P&L	39	
Do pf	97	
De Beers	19¾	20
Deere pf	60	67
Del & Hud	104¾	107¾
Del Lack	50	
De pf	85	
Det U Ry	64	70
Diam M	118	
Dom Tel pf	12	20
Dul SSAA	2	3¼
Do pf	3¼	5
Douglas P	11¾	13
Dunlop T	10¾	11¼
Elk H C	12¾	15¾
Do pf	35	30
Em Bras	7¾	8½
Empire Cot	92	
Emp Dist pf	20	30
Fam Pl pf	85	88
Fairbanks	3	4
Fed M & S	8	10¾
Fed Sug	160	175
Do 1st pf	97	99
Gen Am Tk		
Car pf	94	97½
Gen Asphalt	94	96
Do pf	110¾	
Gen Cig pf	100	106
Do 6% pf	103¾	103¾
Gen Motors	1¾	2
Gen Petrol	34	36
Do pf	97	99
Gen Ry Sig	50	55
Gen Vot pf	94	100
Gillette S	24	25
Gimbel Bros	3¾	4¾
Do pf	85	90
Glen Ala	22	25
Gobel (Adolf)	1¾	2¾
Do pf	10	15
Gold Dust	32	33
Do pf	110	111
Gt Nor Ore	30	35
Gt Nor pf	94	95
Greene C C	3¾	4¼
Gt West Sug	2¾	3
Do pf	15	17
Grt West P	5	6
Do pf	15	18
Gulf Mob &		
Nor pf	48	51
Gulf St Util		
1st pf	101¾	
Habir Bk C	¾	
Hack W pf	29	
Han 1st pf	50	53
Helme T	84	86
Handee M	1¾	2¾
Hyd Stl pf	2¾	4½
Ill Cent pf	107	110
Do lease 1	70¾	73¾
Indiah Re	24	30
Ing-Rand	150	155
Do pf	100¾	105
Int Ag new	5	6
Int & Gt N	20	24
Int Har pf	107	108¾
Int Pap pf	83	110
Int T & T	65¾	69¾
Int Salt	37½	39½
Int Shoe	76	78½
Do pf	118	118
Iowa Cen	2¾	4
Iron Pr ctf	98	104
Jewel T pf	78	80
Jol & Chl	110¾	
Jones &Lgl	107¾	109
K C Ft S		
1st pf	82	83½
2d pf	77	82
Kayser 1st pf	98	102
Kelly Sp	15	18½
Kel Spr pf	114	117½
Kennec pf	73½	77
Keokuk pf	10	
Kenney pf	91¾	97½
Kresge	250	257
Kress(SH)	165	200
Do pf	100	
Lig & M	222	225
Do pf	105	115
Do pf	115½	118
Loose-W 1st pf	100	110
Do 2d pf	101¼	103¾
Lorill'd pf	112	117
L & N	85½	89
Mackay pf	94¾	96
Macy pf	113	116
Mah Coal	800	
Mallins pf	85	88
Man Sewg	13

WILL URGE REMOVAL OF OLD POST OFFICE

Copeland and Hulbert to Head Delegation in Appeal Today at Washington Hearing.

WANT SITE TO EXTEND PARK

Vacation of Building Necessary to Carry Out Plans to Restore Ground Around City Hall.

Acting Mayor Murray Hulbert, Senator Royal S. Copeland and representatives of several civic organizations in this city will attend a hearing before Postmaster General New in Washington this morning to urge the removal of the old Post Office Building from City Hall Park and the conversion of the site into open park space.

The Merchants' Association, the City Club, the Citizens' Committee on the Removal of the Old Post Office, the Bar Association of the City of New York and the New York Patent Law Association are among the organizations expected to send representatives to the hearing.

As the result of a survey by Post Office officials a report has been made to the Postmaster General that it would be inadvisable to give up the City Hall Park site. The representatives of the city and of civic organizations interested in the plan have asked to be heard, with a view of overcoming the opposition of the department.

Following the adoption of the plan for the new Court House, now under construction north of the Municipal Building, civic societies started a movement looking toward the removal of the old Post Office Building and the restoration of City Hall Park to a park which would entirely surround the City Hall, with no building other than the City Hall on it. Attempts to get appropriations for the purchase of sites for a new Post Office and a new Federal Court House failed.

When Will Hayes was Postmaster General Congress adopted a resolution providing for the abandonment of the City Hall Post Office site and authorization for the exchange of that land for other land to be deeded by the city for a new Court House and Post Office site. President Harding, who was in sympathy with the plan, appointed Secretary Mellon, Dr. Work, who was then Postmaster General, and Attorney General Daugherty as a commission to inspect the sites offered by the city.

The sites offered were to the north and northwest of the new County Court House. The last Congress failed to take action which would make the exchange possible.

The old Post Office site was sold by the city to the Federal Government for $500,000 in 1867, under condition that if it ceased to be used for the purpose of either a Court House or a Post Office, or both, it should revert to the city. The building was completed and occupied in 1875.

BIGGEST POWER UNIT STARTS AT NIAGARA

70,000-Horsepower Turbine Does Work That Would Require 700,000 Tons Coal in Steam Plant.

Special to The New York Times.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 18.—The largest hydroelectric unit in the world was placed in commercial operation here this afternoon in the new plant of the Niagara Falls Power Company in the lower gorge. A delegation of prominent hydraulic and electric experts and Government officials was present.

The unit weighs more than 1,750 tons. It consists of a 70,000-horsepower hydraulic turbine attached to an electric generator delivering 52,000 kilowatts at 12,000 volts—the first of three such units to be installed in the $12,000,000 project. When completed, the station will house units with a total capacity of 454,000-horsepower.

The new unit uses 3,200 cubic feet of water a second, with an efficiency of at least 93 per cent. It demands only the same amount of water, however, as was formerly used by seven 5,000-horsepower units, although it delivers energy equivalent to the output of fourteen such units. Each of the three new turbines will produce the energy for electricity which if generated by steam power would require 700,000 tons of coal annually.

The turbine is the most powerful ever constructed. It is a product of the I. P. Morris division of the Cramp Ship and Engine Company of Philadelphia. Special cars were required to transport the castings. The waterwheel is a single piece casting, weighing 105,000 pounds. The turbine casing and control valve required thirty-two carloads of parts. The turbine drives the generator by a 32-inch shaft.

The generator is the largest in the world. The stator or frame weighs 226 tons. The rotor, with its twenty-eight eight-ton poles, is 21 feet in diameter and weighs 450 tons. The generator was manufactured in the Schenectady works of the General Electric Company. A companion machine is now approaching completion at Schenectady.

The three new hydroelectric units will be driven by a new hydraulic pressure tunnel completed this Summer. The tube, 32 feet in diameter and 4,300 feet long, carries the water through solid rock from the head of the rapids above the falls under the City of Niagara Falls to the edge of the high cliff below the falls. The tunnel discharges into a great forebay, or basin, from which the water is conducted to the turbines by three 21-foot tunnel penstocks, cut through the limestone cliff.

Some two million persons will share in the increased power produced by the project, it means more power for Buffalo and for all the Niagara frontier. Despite the additional energy from the new unit, however, as well as the energy to be produced by the other two big machines which will go into service next year, the demand for Niagara power outruns the supply.

ARMY-NAVY FLIGHT DENIED.

But Long-Distance Scouting Squadron Is Being Organized.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Secretary Denby denied today reports that the navy will engage in a competitive around-the-world flight with the army early in 1924.

"There will be no around-the-world flight by the navy during the coming year," said Mr. Denby. "While the navy has given thought to the project of an around-the-world flight and a transpacific flight since the NC-4 made the first flight across the Atlantic, the needs of the fleet as regards aircraft are considered of paramount importance at this time, and planes that would be suitable for ambitious flights of this character will be placed in fleet service as soon as available."

The department is assembling in Washington the personnel for a long-distance scouting squadron for operations with the fleet and this fact was offered in explanation of the reports.

The new long-distance scouting, bombing and torpedo plane, known in official circles as the CS-1, has recently been developed. It has a radius of 2,000 miles or more, equipped as a long-distance scout, and a convertible from a land plane to a sea plane by the substitution of pontoons for wheels as landing gear. The first plane has been delivered and has undergone extensive tests, and production of others of the type is being pushed.

It is expected that the new squadron will be organized in time to join the combined fleets in Southern waters in the late Winter or early Spring.

EMPLOYES BACK TAX CUT.

Mutual Life Association to Ask Congress to Act—Bonus Opposed.

Employes of the Mutual Life Insurance Company have rallied to the support of Secretary Mellon's plan for a reduction in taxes, and at the same time have gone on record as opposed to the proposed soldiers' bonus, on the ground that lower taxes and elimination of the bonus would be to the best interests "of salary and wage earners throughout the country." More than 600 employes signed a petition advocating that Senators and Representatives from New York and New Jersey take action along the lines approved by the Mutual Life Association, which is made up of the employes of the company. When all signatures have been affixed, the petition will be forwarded to Washington.

George H. Trumpler, President of the association, who yesterday set the signing of the petition was confined to employes of voting age. The employes, he declared, believe that action by Congress in voting down the bonus and approving a reduction in taxes would be tantamount to a $100 to $200 increase in wages annually for every employe. Mr. Trumpler expressed hope that employes of other corporations would emulate those of the Mutual Life.

Secretary Mellon's tax-reduction program was endorsed last night, by resolution, at a meeting of the Directors of the Staten Island Chamber of Commerce at St. George. The resolution was to the effect that Congress be urged to stand back of the Mellon plan even though it be necessary to sacrifice the bonus. It further requested the United States Chamber of Commerce to poll its members on the subject.

General Gas and Electric Stock Sold

The General Gas & Electric Corporation has sold a block of its cumulative preferred stock, Class A, to Pynchon & Co. and West & Co., it was learned yesterday. Public offering is expected shortly. The company sought funds for investing in additional stock of subsidiary companies and for other corporate purposes.

More Freight Cars Need Repair.

Reports filed by the railroads with the Car Service Division of the American Railway Association showed that on Dec. 1 approximately 6.8 per cent. of the freight cars were in need of repair. This is an increase since Nov. 15 when the percentage was 6.5.

American Can Directors to Meet.

Directors of the American Can Company will meet Friday to take action on the quarterly dividend on the company's common stock. According to reports in the financial district, an extra dividend will be declared.

Your Christmas list is not complete if it does not include a gift to the Hundred Neediest Cases. Make check payable to the Hundred Neediest Cases Fund and mail to The New York Times, Times Square, New York City.

MADDEN PROMISES CUT IN FEDERAL EXPENSES

Chairman Says House Committee Will Hold Appropriations to the Lowest Point.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The same policy which obtained during the last session of Congress of cutting down expenditures as far as possible without hampering the effective operation of the Government will be adhered to during the coming months by the House Appropriations Committee, Chairman Madden announced this afternoon.

"Every request for funds must be decided upon its merits," said Mr. Madden in a statement making public the assignment of subcommittees. "The committee does not espouse the cause, nor is it the champion, of any particular activity or department of the Government. It will try to deal fairly and justly with each in due proportion to its importance. Appropriations mean expenditures, and expenditures require tax money to pay the bills. The concentrated opinion of the taxpaying public will be considered simultaneously with the parceling out of the money.

"The budget presents a request for appropriations for the fiscal year 1925 which in the aggregate is nearly $250,000,000 less than the total of the appropriations for the current year. Further reductions in the total will be effected if the facts developed by the committee warrant them.

"Three subcommittees—those in charge of the War, Navy and Interior Departments—will start their labors tomorrow morning. It is expected that the committee will be prepared to present the Interior Department bill to the House within a week or ten days after it reconvenes in January.

"The subcommittees were named as follows:

"Treasury and Post Office Departments—Madden, Vare, Magee, Thatcher and Gallivan.

"War Department—Anthony, Dickinson, Barbour, Johnson and Harrison.

"Agriculture—Anderson, Magee, Wason, Buchanan and Lee.

"Independent Offices—Wood, Wason, Summers, Sandlin and Byrne.

"Interior Department—Cramton, Murphy, French, Carter and Taylor.

"Navy Department—French, Hardy, Taber, Byrns and Oliver.

"Departments of State, Justice, Commerce and Labor—Shreve, Tinkham, Ackerman, Oliver and Griffin.

"Legislative Establishment—Dickinson, Vare, Murphy, Taylor and Carter.

"Deficiencies—Madden, Anthony, Wood, Cramton, Davis, Anderson, Byrns, Gallivan, Buchanan and Lee."

RUMANIA LIFTS OIL BAN.

Restores Limited Freedom of Trade With Restrictions.

BUCHAREST, Dec. 15.—The Cabinet has approved a decree restoring limited freedom of trade in the petroleum industry under governmental supervision, so as to insure priority for domestic users.

The exportation of crude oil is still prohibited, but refined products may be shipped abroad under an export tax of 50 lei for 100 kilograms. Domestic prices must not exceed those on the world market.

May Cut Philippine Appropriations.

MANILA, Dec. 18 (Associated Press).—The Senate Finance Committee has decided to make a considerable reduction in the appropriation bill lately passed by the Philippine House of Representatives. It is declared the proposed decreases, if approved, would compel Givernor General Wood to adjust the Executive appropriation to make funds available for operating the yacht Apo.

Arbitration Treaties Are Ratified.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Conventions renewing the arbitration treaties with Great Britain, France, Japan, Norway and Portugal were ratified today by the Senate.

Steel Car Bill in Congress.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A bill to require the use of steel passenger cars in interstate commerce was introduced today by Senator Harris, Democrat, Georgia.

CONSUMERS UNITE FOR DIRECT BUYING

Fifty Men and Women Form a Committee to Form a Co-operative Organization.

TO REDUCE HIGH COSTS

George Gordon Battle Says That Farm Products Will Receive Special Attention.

George Gordon Battle announced yesterday the creation of the Consumers and Producers' Organizing Committee, a group of fifty men and women who propose to organize consumers for direct collective buying from producers' organizations as partners in a common co-operative business enterprise.

The membership, Mr. Battle explained, is merely a preliminary nucleus which will be gradually enlarged until a thoroughly representative body has been assembled, made up of leaders from national business, labor, civic and social groups as well as farmers' organizations and the consumers at large. The group will function through an executive committee and a board of specialists. After a period of study and planning the group will be incorporated as a co-operative consumers and producers' company. Temporary headquarters are at 18 East Forty-first Street. The work of the company will be carried out in some community chosen for demonstration purposes. On this point Mr. Battle said:

"The locality selected must be small enough to enable us to set up a fairly comprehensive consumers' organization therein and to demonstrate what methods can be made most effective for reducing the present high cost of advertising, selling and distributing the staples of life, especially farm products. To carry on this preliminary work our committee is raising an organizing fund of $100,000. Experts in law, advertising, salesmanship, merchandising, production, management, finance and consumers organization have agreed to serve during this period, and we are confident that a company of producers and consumers will result from their efforts. In that case each subscriber will receive stock. At the same time it should be held in mind that the project is of a pioneer character and as yet only in a tentative stage. If for any reason a company should not be formed the subscriber should be prepared to consider his subscription as a donation to an important and well-considered economic and industrial research."

"This high cost of distribution," according to E. St. Elmo Lewis, an authority on this problem, "constitutes the most important economic problem which faces consumers at the present moment. For all commodities it averages, according to recent Government reports, 40 cents on every dollar spent by consumers."

According to B. F. Yoakum, former President of the Frisco Railroad, "right now in New York City the consumer is paying in many instances from 150 to 400 per cent. more for farm products than the farmer is receiving for them on Long Island, only thirty or forty miles away."

Wholesale Sugar Price Cut.

The American Sugar Refining Company and Arbuckle Brothers yesterday announced reductions of ten points in the wholesale price of refined sugar, the new price being 8.90 cents a pound.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

(Quoted on a percentage basis.)

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Atlantic Coast L.	1924-'35	6	5.65	5.55
Do	1924-'36	6½	5.55	5.50
Baltimore & Ohio.	1924-'38	4½,5	5.60	5.55
Do	1924-'35	6	5.80	5.50
Bethlehem Steel.	1924-'30	7	6.75	6.00
Boston & Albany.	1923-'27	4½	5.50	5.30
B., R. & P.	1923-'39	4½,5,6	5.50	5.25
Canadian Nor.	1923-'29	6	5.85	5.50
Canadian Pacific.	1923-'32	4½,6	5.50	5.25
C. R. R. of N. J.	1924-'32	5	5.35	5.15
Do	1924-'35	6	5.60	5.35
Cen. of Georgia.	1924-'38	5	5.60	5.35
Chesapeake & O.	1923-'38	5,5½,6½	5.55	5.35
Do	1924-'35	6	5.70	5.45
Chi., Burl. & Q.	1924-'35	5	5.65	5.50
Chi., Mil. & St.P.	1924-'38	5,5½	6.25	5.85
Do	1924-'35	6	6.30	5.90
Chi. & N. W.	1924-'35	6	6.30	5.90
Do	1924-'38	5,6½	5.70	5.35
Chi., R. I. & P.	1923-'38	4½,5	5.85	5.50
Do	1924-'35	6	5.85	5.50
C., St. P. M. & O.	1924-'34	7	5.80	5.75
C.,C.,C. & St. L.	1924-'29	5	5.70	5.46
Do	1924-'35	6	5.70	5.46
Col. & Southern.	1924-'35	6	5.75	5.45
Del. & Hudson.	1924-'35	6	5.65	5.50
Erie Railroad.	1923-'38	4½,5,5½,6	6.20	5.87
Fruit Grow. Ex.	1924-'38	5,5½	5.70	5.35
Gt. Northern Ry.	1924-'38	5	5.45	5.25
Do	1924-'35	7	5.50	5.35
Hocking Valley	1924-'38	5	5.80	5.35
Do	1924-'35	6	5.85	5.50
Illinois Central.	1923-'38	4½,5,5½	5.65	5.50
Do	1923-'38	6½,7	5.85	5.50
Do	1924-'35	6	5.85	5.35
Kansas City So.	1924-'38	5½	5.65	5.35
Do	1924-'35	6	5.75	5.40
Long Island	1924-'35	6	5.80	5.50
Louisv. & Nash.	1924-'35	4½,5,6½	5.50	5.20
Do	1924-'35	6	5.85	5.35
Michigan Central.	1923-'32	5,6	5.45	5.25
Do	1924-'35	6	5.70	5.40
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	1923-'33	4½,5	5.75	5.40
Do	1924-'35	6,6½,7	5.85	5.45
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	1924-'35	6	5.85	5.50
Missouri Pacific.	1924-'35	6	6.15	5.75
Do	1924-'36	6½	6.10	5.65
Nat. Steel Car L.	1922-'28	6	7.65	6.75
N. Y. Central.	1923-'33	4½,5	5.45	5.25
Do	1924-'35	6	5.70	5.40
Do	1924-'35	6	5.55	5.35
N. Y., C. & St. L.	1924-'38	4½,5	5.55	5.35
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1923-'35	4½,5,6,7	7.00	6.00
Norfolk & Western	1924-'35	6	5.85	5.45
Northern Pacific.	1924-'32	4½,7	5.50	5.25
Pac. Fruit Ex.	1923-'35	7	5.80	5.35
Penna. R. R.	1924-'39	5	5.35	5.20
Do	1924-'35	6	5.60	5.35
Pere Marquette.	1924-'35	6	5.85	5.56
Pitts. & L. E.	1923-'35	6½	5.85	5.55
Reading Co.	1923-'38	4½,5,6	6.35	6.00
Seab'd Air Line.	1923-'37	4½,5,5½,6	6.35	6.00
So. Pacific	1923-'38	4½,5	5.40	5.25
Do	1924-'35	6	5.60	5.35
Do	1924-'35	7	5.50	5.30
Southern Railw'y.	1923-'38	4½,5,5½	5.60	5.50
Do	1924-'35	6	5.75	5.50
St. L.-San Fran.	1923-'37	5	5.75	5.40
Do	1924-'35	6	5.90	5.55
St. L. S. W.	1923-'38	4½,5,5½	6.25	5.85
Union Pacific.	1923-'35	5,7	5.45	5.20
Virginian Ry.	1924-'39	5	5.70	5.55
Do	1924-'35	6	5.80	5.55
Wabash Railroad.	1923-'35	4½,5	5.85	5.75
West. Maryland.	1924-'37	5,6	6.35	6.00
Western Pacific.	1924-'38	5½	6.10	6.75
Wheeling & L.E.	1924-'27	5	6.10	5.70
Do	1924-'35	6	6.20	6.75

PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Adirondack P. & L. 5s. 1950	96	96½
American Power & Light 6s. 2014	91½	92½
American Gas & Electric 6s. 2014	96	97
Appalachian Power 1st 5s. 1941	89	90¾
Cities Service deb. B.	106	
Cities Service deb. C.	88	
Cities Service deb. D.	88	90
Clarion River 5½s. 1947	100¾	101¼
Columbus Elec. & Power 5s. 1947	99	102
Colorado Power 1st 5s. 1953	85	86
Commercial Power 1st 6s. 1963	97	98
Cons. Cities E. P. & L. 5s. 1962	68	70
East Texas Electric 5s. 1942	86	89
El Paso Electric 5s. 1951	85	95
Galveston-Houston 5s. 1954	80	84
General Gas & Electric 7s. 1952	95	100
Houston Electric 1st 5s. 1925	97½	98
Lehigh Power Sec. 1927	94½	95½
Mississippi River Power 5s. 1951	92	94
Mississippi River Power, 7s. 1935	100¾	101¼
Nebraska Power 1st 5s. 1947	80½	82
N. News & Hp. Ry., G. & El. 5s.	95	97
Northern States Power 5s. 1926	100¼	101
Northern Texas Elec. 5s. 1940	80	84
Penn. Public Service 6s. 1929	97	98
Penn. Public Service 6½s. 1938	94	96
Penn. Public Service 7s. 1947	97½	99
Puget Sound P. & L. 7½s. 1941	104	105½
Savannah Elec. & P. 7½s. 1942	103	105
Seattle Electric 5s. 1929	86	88
Standard Gas & Electric 6s. 1935	86	90¾
Standard Gas & Electric 6s. 1926	89½	
Tampa Electric 5s. 1933	91½	93½
Utah Light & Traction 5s. 1944	100½	101
Western States G. & E. 5s. 1941	89	92

NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Monday. Bid.	Asked.
4½s, December, 1971	103⅝	104¼	103⅝	104¼
4½s, July, 1967	103½	104¼	103½	104¼
4½s, June, 1963	103¼	104¼	103¼	104¼
4½s, March, 1963	103¼	104¼	103¼	104¼
4½s, May, 1957	103¼	104¼	103¼	104¼
4½s, November, 1957	103¼	104¼	103¼	104¼
4½s, April, 1972	99¾	100¾	99¾	100¾
4½s, April, 1961	99¾	100¾	99¾	100¾
4½s, March, 1962	99¾	100¾	99¾	100¾
4½s, March, 1964	99¾	100¾	99¾	100¾
4½s, September, 1960	99¾	100¾	99¾	100¾
4½s, March, 1960-'30	99¾	100¾	99¾	100¾
4s, May, 1959	96	97	96	97
4s, November, 1958	96	97	96	97
4s, May, 1957	96	97	96	97
4s, November, 1955	95	96	95	96
3½s, May, 1954	86	87½	86	87½
3½s, November, 1956	86	87½	86	87½
3½s, November, 1954	86	87½	86	87½

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

	Yesterday.		Monday.	
	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
3½s, 1940-1940	4.33	4.25	4.35	4.25
3½s, 1924-1938	4.50	4.35	4.50	4.35
4½s, 1924-1931	4.50	4.35	4.50	4.35

GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS.

Following are the prices paid in the open market for United States Treasury certificates of indebtedness and notes of the different issues:

Month.	Year.	P.C.	Bid.	Ask.	Approx. Yield.
March	1924	4½	100⅛	100⅜	3.85
March	1925	4½	100⅛	100⅜	4.10
March	1926	4½	100⅛	100⅜	4.40
March	1927	4½	100⅛	100⅜	4.37
March	1927	4½	100⅛	100⅜	4.44
June	1924	4½	100	100⅛	3.87
June	1924	5½	100⅛	100⅜	3.90
June	1925	4½	100⅛	100⅜	4.07
September	1924	5½	100⅛	101⅜	4.12
September	1926	4½	99⅞	100⅛	4.39
December	1927	4½	100⅛	100⅜	4.45
December	1925	4½	99⅞	100	4.37

SUGAR STOCKS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Monday. Bid.
Caracas Sugar	13	15	13
Central Aguirre	83	83½	83½
Fajardo	100½	107½	106
Federal Sugar	61	65	60
Goodwin		10	8
Do pf.		53	50
Holly		25	30
Do pf.		80	82
National		87	89½
New Niquero		97	100
Savannah		55½	61¼
Do pf.		78½	80½
Sugar Est. of Oriente pf.		85	88

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Black Hawk	5	15	Gadsster	35	40
Bohemia	40	75	Iron Blossom	35	40
Boston & Ely	28	29	Iron Cap	3½	3¾
Butte & Lon.	2	3	Jerome V.	1¾	2
Calaveras	1½	2½	La Rose	17	25
Champion	10	18	Ohio	75	82
Chief Con.	5½	5¾	Osceo	38	50
Con. Copper	1¾	1¾	Ray Hercules	25	30
Crystal	70	74	U. Y. Ext.	26½	27¼
Eagle & B.B.	6	8	Verde Cent.	5½	5¾
Eureka Croesus	48	50	Wolverine	60	65

FOREIGN SECURITIES.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.
Arg. (unlisted)	5	Sept., 1945	76	77
Arg. (rescission)		1945	62	64
Belgium (prem.)		1925	98	98½
Belgian (restor'n)	5	Sept., 1934	34½	37½
Buenos Aires	3½	1908	41	43
Brazil	4½	1933	37½	39½
Brazil	5	1913	85	87
Brazil	5	1910	34	36
Brazil	5	1926	42½	44½
British Victory	4	Sep., 1919	78¾	80¾
British Loan	4	Mar., 1925	91	91½
Brit. Nat. W. B.	5	Oct., 1927	91¾	93¾
Brit. Nat. W. B.	5	1947-29	86½	88½
Brit. Nat. W. B.	5	1929	92¾	94½
Brit. Exchequer	5½	1928	97	98
Canada	5	1937	99¾	100¼
Canada	5½	Nov., 1933	102¼	102⅝
Chile 1st	5	1911	67	70
City of Pelotas	5	1911	48	53
Colombia	6	1913	62	66
Costa Rica	5	1911	60	63
Cuba	6	1929	98	99
French Govt., Vic.	5	Jan., 1919	31½	31¾
French Loan	4	1917	29¼	31¼
French Loan	5	1920	43	45
French Loan	6	1920	42	44
Italian War Loan	5		30½	30¾
Midi Railroad	6	1960	42¾	43½
Paris-Orleans R.R.	6	1958	41½	43½
Russ., external	5½	Dec., 1921	9¾	9¾
Do (Nat City Bank cfts.)			7¾	8¼
Russ., external	6½	Dec., 1919	9¾	9¾
Do (Nat City Bank cfts.)			8¾	9
Russ. ruble bonds	3½	Prior	¾	1
Russ. rentes of '96	6		1¾	2
Sweden	6	June, 1939	104	104½
Switzerland	5½	Aug., 1919	97¾	98¼
Uruguay	8	1919	65	68

SHORT-TERM NOTES.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yi'd
Alum. Co. Am.	6	Oct., 1923	103¾	104¼	5.16
Alum. Co. Am.	7	Nov., 1923	101½	102¼	5.71
Am. Cot. Oil.	6	Sep. 2, '24	99⅜	100	6.00
Am. Su. T. cv.	7½	June 1923	99⅝	99⅞	
Am. Tob.	6	Dec., 1924	101⅝	101¾	4.70
Am. Thread.	6	Dec., 1923	101⅛	101⅜	5.62
Anac. Cop. Co.	6	Jan., 1920	101½	101¾	5.55
Anglo-Amer. Oil	6				
Do	7	Apr., 1925	101⅜	101¾	6.65
B. & O. R.R.	6	Apr., 1924	100¼	100⅜	4.82
Bell Tel. Can.	7	Apr., 1925	101⅝	101⅞	5.40
Braden Copp.	8	Feb., 1924	99	99½	8.08
Can. Nor.	5½	Dec., 1926	99¾	100¼	5.53
Cent. Argent.	6	Feb., 1927	97½	98	6.60
Empire G. & E.					
(Temp. Coke).	7	May, 1925	98½	98¾	7.10
Federal Sug.	6	May, 1933	97¾	98¼	6.34
General Cigar.	6	Dec. 1, '25	100	100¼	5.95
General Cigar.	6	Dec. 1, '26	98¾	99¼	6.41
General Cigar.	6	Dec. 1, '27	98¾	98¾	6.31
Hocking Val.	5	May, 1924	100¼	100⅜	4.90
Humble O. & R.	5½	July 15'32	97	97½	5.80
Ill. Bell. T.	5	Jan., 1956	93¾	94¼	5.40
Kan. City Ter.	5½	Nov., 1925	100¾	100¾	5.40
Ken. Cop. Co.	7	Feb., 1930	103¼	104	6.20
Pillsbury W.	7	Oct., 1933	96¾	97⅛	6.50
Sloss S S & I.	6	Aug., 1929	97	97¼	6.50
Solvay & Co.	2	Oct., 1927	104¾	104⅞	6.62
Swift & Co.	5	Oct., 1932	91¼	91¾	6.20
U. G. of N.	4½	May, 1933	103¾	104⅛	6.25
Sun Oil	6	June, 1925	98¾	99¼	6.70
Vacuum Oil	7	Apr., 1930	105¾	106¼	6.25
Wtgh. El. M.	7	May, 1931	106¾	107¼	5.79
Young S. & T.	6	July, 1948	95¾	96¼	6.17

METAL MARKET REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Monday. Bid.	Asked.
Copper, electro.	13.00			12.95
Tin, std. spot	47.12½			46.70
Lead, N. Y., spot	7.75			7.75
Zinc, N. Y., spot	6.65			6.60
Antimony	8.00	9.25	8.75	9.00
Quicksilver	62.00		62.00	
Aluminum	25.00	25.50	23.00	25.50
Iron, No. 2X sil.				
con	24.75	25.25	24.75	25.25

London quotations were:

	Yesterday. £	s.	d.	Monday. £	s.	d.
Copper, spot	62	7	6	63	10	0
Copper, futures	63	2	6	63	5	0
Tin, spot	234	5	0	233	7	6
Tin, futures	236	0	0	234	12	6
Spelter, spot	32	12	6	33	10	0
Spelter, futures	32	17	6	32	15	0
Lead, spot	31	7	6	31	10	0
Lead, futures	29	17	6	29	17	6

TOBACCO STOCKS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Monday. Bid.
American Cigar	77	79	77
Do pf.	83	85	82
American Tobacco scrip	145	150	140
American Machine and Fdy.	133		133
Brown Wr. Helme	57	60	59
Do pf.	*108	111	140
International Cigar Mach.	55	60	54
MacAndrews & Forbes	137	140	136
Do pf.	98	101	97
Mengel & Co.	21¼	23½	21
J. S. Young	108	112	107
Do pf.	100	107	100
R. J. Reynolds	120		120
Universal Leaf Tobacco	48	52	49
Do pf.	88	91	88
*Ex dividend.			

COTTONSEED OIL.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	*Close.	*Prev. Close.
Spot				10.90	10.80
Dec.				10.80	10.80
Jan.	2,900	11.00	10.80	10.85	10.80
Feb.				11.20	11.20
March	5,900	11.50	11.20	11.45	11.48
April				11.60	11.62
May	5,100	11.79	11.67	11.74	11.75
June				11.79	11.80
July	200	11.92	11.92	11.92	11.92
Total, 14,700.					

COFFEE.

	High.	Low.	*Close.	*Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Dec. (1924)	8.35	8.29	8.32	8.32	
March	9.54	9.50	9.47	9.55	9.50
May	8.87	8.87	8.83	8.90	9.43
July	8.70	8.68	8.65	8.74	9.32
Sept.	8.50	8.44	8.41	8.49	8.84

SUGAR.

	High.	Low.	*Close.	*Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Jan.	5.39	5.32	5.36	5.30	
Dec.	5.73	5.72	5.74	5.72	2.68
March	4.73	4.66	4.72	4.68	2.52
May	4.78	4.71	4.77	4.79	2.56
July	4.84	4.77	4.83	4.77	2.59
*Closing bid.					

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Monday. Bid.
Amalgamated Leather	11½	14			11½
Do pf.

LATEST DEALINGS IN REALTY FIELD

Holding Company Sells Six-Story Apartment House on Washington Heights.

WAS HELD AT $400,000

Builder Buys Plot in Dyckman Section for Improvement With Houses to Cost $1,000,000.

The six-story apartment at 609 and 611 West 151st Street, on a plot 100 by 100 feet, between Broadway and Riverside Drive, has been purchased by the West Heights Realty Company from the R. E. L. Holding Company (R. E. Lane). The building contains suites of two, three and four rooms, returning an annual rental of about $65,000. It was held at $400,000. Philip Abrahamis was the broker.

Another purchase by the West Heights Realty Company involves the five-story apartment house at 607 West 190th Street, on plot 50 by 100, adjoining the northwest corner of St. Nicholas Avenue. It contains suites of four and five rooms, with rentals of about $23,000, and was held at $150,000. Benjamin Harris was the broker.

The five-story apartment at 712 West End Avenue was sold by Byrne & Bowman for a client to 1,809 Seventh Avenue Corporation; Max Rosenfeld, Secretary. The building is on plot 33 by 100 feet, rents for $11,000 and was held at $78,000.

Captain Berg sold the five-story walk-up, 25 by 100, at 170 East 108th Street. The property rents for $4,500 and was held at $33,000. Pierre & Golden Company were the brokers.

The same brokers sold for the Noyes estate to Sigmund Sussman the four and one-half-story tenement, 27 by 100, at 154 East Seventieth Street, renting for about $3,000 and held at $26,000.

John Peters resold for Journmire Silverman to A. McConnell 206 and 208 West 145th Street, two five-story walk-ups, 25 by 100 feet each. The property was held at $63,000.

The estate of Samuel Korn sold 168 West Ninety-eighth Street, a five-story triple flat, through Brett & Wyckoff.

$1,000,000 Dyckman Project.

The Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Company sold to Abner Distillator, builder, the plot on the southeast corner of Sherman Avenue and Sickles Street, being 170 feet on Sherman Avenue by 250 feet on Sickles Street. Volz & Maas were the brokers.

Mr. Distillator will build three large houses, to contain 175 families, of two, three and four rooms and bath, having every modern improvement, from plans by Margon & Glaser. Mr. Distillator has just finished the Kingsbridge Garden Apartments at 230th Street and Kingsbridge Avenue.

The Manal Holding Corporation (Adolph Simon, Emanuel B. Morgenstern) purchased the southeast corner of Wadsworth Avenue and 176th Street, size 100 by 100, from the Brandtco Building Corporation, Edward Brandt, President. The buyers contemplate offering the plot for sale to builders for immediate improvement. The property was held at $70,000. Max Liebeskind, Inc., and Samuel Gordon negotiated the sale.

BRONX BOROUGH DEALS.

Operators Buy Sherman Avenue Corner, Valued at $235,000.

Isaac Lowenfeld and William Prager have purchased from the 180th Street and Audubon Avenue Corporation a newly constructed tax-exempt house known as 975 Sherman Avenue, being the southwest corner of Sherman Avenue and East 164th Street. The building has a frontage of 188 feet on Sherman Avenue, and is arranged for 45 families with suites of 3 and 4 rooms, showing an annual rental of $36,000. The property was held at $235,000. Charles Berlin & Co. were the brokers in the transaction.

M. Rosenthal, operator, sold to the Ed-Jac Realty Corporation, 2,053-2,055 Hughes Avenue and 620-634 East 180th Street, a one-story and basement taxpayer, with ten stores on plot 90 by 100 irregular, showing an annual rental of $12,000. Property was held at $100,000. Edward F. Fitzgerald was the broker in the transaction.

The newly formed Shepel Realty Corporation has purchased from the J. Miller Company the 5½-story apartment house on a plot 75 by 125, at 1,619 University Avenue, near 174th Street.

George Goldblatt Company and Harris Mendelson sold for V. Pollasello, 714-18 Westchester Avenue, corner Wales Avenue, two five-story apartments with stores, 80 by 80 irregular, renting for $18,000, held at $105,000, to a Mr. Blum. Negotiations for a resale are pending.

SALVATION ARMY BUYS.

Takes Over Old Saloon Corner for Mission Home.

The David Stevenson Brewing Company sold to the Salvation Army the seven-story fireproof structure on lot 25x100 at the northwest corner of Tenth Avenue and Twenty-seventh Street.

For years it served as a rendezvous of seafaring men. Twenty years ago Bernard Rommel, a saloonkeeper, was financed by the brewing company and built the structure. When he died the brewery became the owner at a cost of about $80,000.

The Salvation Army, in buying the property at a shade under $50,000, will use it for a mission and lodging place. D. Kempner & Son negotiated the sale.

$2,000,000 for New Operations.

Plans have been filed by Baker & Ludwig, architects, for the construction of eight five-story tenements, each 33 by 88, at 109 to 141 West 144th Street, for Coogan-Runkle, Inc., as owner. The total cost has been placed at $768,000.

Plans have also been filed for the construction of a six-story apartment house on the north side of 189th Street, whole front between Wadsworth Avenue and Wadsworth Terrace, for the B. L. W. Construction Company as owner. It will be 182 feet front by 94 feet deep. Gronenberg & Leuchtag are the architects, and have estimated the cost at $1,000,000.

Gronenberg & Leuchtag, architects, also filed plans for the construction of an eight-story Russian bathhouse, eight stories high, at 121 to 127 West Forty-sixth Street. It will have a frontage of 75 feet and a depth of 98 feet, and has been estimated to cost $350,000. The F. D. R. Construction Corporation is the owner of record.

Jersey City Warehouse Sold.

The new warehouse building on Holladay Street, near Pacific Avenue, on a plot 50 by 200 feet, in Jersey City, was sold by Joseph Liebelman for J. Goldenberg to the Otto Match Company. It was held at $75,000.

VANDERBILT BUYS PARK AV. APARTMENT

Will Live in Co-operative Building on Sixty-Seventh Street Corner.

W. K. Vanderbilt bought a maisonette apartment at 655 Park Avenue, corner of Sixty-seventh Street, yesterday.

The apartment was sold by the 655 Park Avenue Corporation, which is erecting the building from plans by J. E. R. Carpenter. Mr. Vanderbilt's new apartment will have a private entrance from the street. On the ground floor is a large reception room and three servants' rooms and bath. A private stairway leads to the second floor of the apartment, which is of the duplex type. On the second floor is a large living room, a large dining room, a kitchen and two large bedrooms. A feature of the living room is the height of the ceiling.

Pease & Elliman negotiated the sale of the apartment.

Mr. Vanderbilt has been occupying an apartment at 49 East Fifty-second Street which he has owned for some years and which he recently sold to Dr. Nicholas F. Partos.

The building in which Mr. Vanderbilt's new apartment will be located is now in course of construction and occupies the former site of the Hahneman Hospital, and was purchased by a group of the surrounding owners on Park Avenue to prevent the erection of the usual twelve-story apartment house.

The new building will be unique and will be only seven and eight stories high on Park Avenue, with an unusually large courtyard, around which the apartments are grouped. It is being sold cooperatively on the 100 per cent. plan, and a number of the apartments have already been sold, the first sale having been made by Pease & Elliman to Frank D. Waterman.

LEASE IN DRUG CENTRE.

Sharp & Bohme Buy Long-Term Lease for Improvement.

An addition to the new drug centre was made yesterday when Sharp & Bohme, drug and chemical manufacturers, acquired the southeast corner of Varick and Grand Streets, containing 21,000 square feet of space. The property was held under an eighty-four-year lease from Trinity Corporation by the Corn Exchange Bank, who are now selling the lease to Sharp & Bohme through William A. White & Sons, as brokers, for improvement with a six-story building for their own occupancy.

A year ago the Corn Exchange Bank leased the entire block front on the east side of Varick Street, from Gold to Canal Street.

Sharp & Bohme have been located at 41 John Street for thirty-five years and will have as neighbors in their new location other drug firms, such as Fletcher's Castoria, Lehn & Fink, Upjohn Chemical Company and the Parke-Davis Company.

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

Natanson Acquires Corner From the Garfield National Bank.

Max N. Natanson purchased from the Garfield National Bank, 742 Seventh Avenue, at the northwest corner of Forty-ninth Street, a new four-story business building on plot fronting twenty-five feet on the avenue and ninety-six feet on the street. There are eight stores on the ground floor and offices above, the gross annual rental being about $55,000. The entire property is leased to one tenant for a term expiring Feb. 1, 1941. The property was held at $300,000, and was sold for cash, through Ames & Company, acting as broker.

JAMES SPEYER SELLS.

Disposes of Corner of Madison Avenue and Thirty-ninth Street.

James Speyer, the banker, has sold to a client of Cross & Brown Company the three large dwellings at 257, 259 and 261 Madison Avenue, southeast corner of Thirty-ninth Street, on plot 78.8 by 115.

Mr. Speyer formerly lived in the centre house prior to removing to his present home at 1,058 Fifth Avenue, corner of Eighty-sixth Street.

The properties are valued at $600,000 and are opposite the home of the Princeton Club, now building. The J. P. Morgan houses are in the block to the south.

Private House Sales.

James H. Cruikshank purchased from Frederick and Adolph Weiss, 2,048 Madison Avenue, a three-story dwelling on plot 16.4 by 75, between 129th and 130th Streets. Harry Sugarman was the broker.

The Houghton Company has sold to an investing client for Carrie Ruhlender the four-story and basement dwelling at 141 West Sixty-ninth Street, on a lot 17 by 100.5, located 92 feet from the northeast corner of Broadway. The property was held at $40,000.

Artist Buys Pelham Home.

The Colonial brick home of Lewis Bowman on Elderwood Avenue, Pelham Heights, was sold by Thomas J. Good. The purchaser is the well-known illustrator, Thomas H. Webb, of New York City. The property was held at $42,000 and was sold for under $33,000.

Typographical Union Buys Dwelling

Morgenthau & Blackstone, Inc., sold 24 West Sixteenth Street for the Spanish Society to the Union Holding Company, a subsidiary of Typographical Union No. 6.

After an extensive alteration the organization will occupy the building for its executive offices. The property is a four-story-and-basement dwelling on a plot 25 by 103.3.

This is the third trade union to purchase its own home on West Sixteenth Street. Adjoining at 22 West Sixteenth Street is the home of New York Printing Pressmen's Union 51, purchased early this year through the same brokers, and at 9 West Sixteenth Street is the building of the International Ladies' Garment Workers.

The Fennimore C. Goode Company was associated as broker in the sale.

Brown Buys Old Church.

Frederick Brown has purchased the old German Methodist Episcopal Church on Fortieth Street, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues. It is known as 346, 348 and 350. The two-story building stands on a plot 64.3 feet wide and 98.9 feet deep, about 175 feet east of Ninth Avenue. Mr. Brown recently bought another parcel on this block, the five-story tenement at 326, which is about eight parcels to the east of the church.

Auction Results.

BY JOSEPH P. DAY.

Perry St, 146-148, s e corner of Washington St, 40.8x152.6, seven four-story tenements; to Ida M. Terhune against Margaret R. Attwood et al.; Rounds, Schurman & Dwight, attorneys; Amos S. Booth, referee; partition. To Edwin E. Vellhart for $56,000.

Bronx Exchange.

BY JOSEPH P. DAY.

Richardson Av, 2 s, 715.6 ft e of 238th St, 50x100; Philip Kelly against Patrick Kelly et al.; John H. Regan, attorney; Seymour Mark, referee; partition. To the plaintiff for $9,500.

BY JEREE J. REID.

Lurting Av, e s, 120.5 ft s of Esplanade Av, 80x100, vacant; Morris Park Estates against Athanase Nicolaidis et al.; McCarthy & Bivona, attorneys; Joseph V. McKee, referee; due, $2,305.37; taxes, &c., $1,350. To the plaintiff for $2,800.

Putnam Av, w s, 50 ft s of 237th St, 100x 140.1, vacant; Cosmopolitan Credit Corp. against Valentine Treat et al.; Samuel V. Koffler, attorney; John J. O'Brien, referee; due, $2,742.78; taxes, &c., $4,000. To Valentine Treat for $2,500.

SUIT SHOWS VALUE OF THE TORRENS ACT

Title Registered Under It Can Be Set Aside Only for Fraud, Court Holds.

SECURITY FOR PURCHASERS

Bronx County Registrar Urges Property Owners Take Fuller Advantage of System.

In a statement issued by Register Edward Polak of Bronx County yesterday attention of property owners and realty dealers was drawn to a recent decision by Justice John M. Tierney in the Bronx Supreme Court regarding title registration. Register Polak said the decision is of great importance in the development of the Torrens system.

The decision was in the case of Rubin versus Smith Jr. Rubin, the plaintiff, contracted to purchase a parcel of real estate on Walton Avenue north of 183d Street, the Bronx, the title of which was registered in Nelson Smith Jr., Marian Smith and Annie Smith.

Rubin paid a deposit of $500 on the deal, but refused to carry out the contract, which called for the payment of the remainder of the price upon delivery of the deed. He demanded his deposit back, and when the money was refused took the case to court, alleging that even though the title was registered under the Torrens system and a certificate of title was issued by the Register to the owners of the property, in pursuance of a judgment of registration, the title was defective in that it was founded on a tax title.

The owners of the property, instead of interposing an answer, demurred to the complaint and made a motion to dismiss it on the ground that in view of the facts that the title was registered under the Torrens law and a certificate of title issued, it became perfect and could not be set aside.

Justice Tierney decided in favor of the defendants, dismissing the complaint with costs. Justice Tierney held that all errors, mistakes and irregularities in the proceedings were merged in the final judgment of registration, which, after a lapse of thirty days, became binding and conclusive upon everybody; that a judgment of registration cannot be questioned for any reason except on the grounds of fraud, which must be proved by the interested party.

Discussing the decision Register Polak said:

"This decision sets at rest the misunderstanding which has existed heretofore, among property owners and many attorneys, who feared that after property had been registered somebody might come along, perhaps after the property has changed hands several times, and attempt to set aside the title, to the financial detriment of the ultimate owner. The decision is of vital importance to property owners who should not hesitate now to take fuller advantage of the law."

THE BROOKLYN MARKET.

Trading Indicates a Demand for Investment Parcels.

G. Esposito sold to a client for investment the six-story tenement at 224 and 226 High Street, corner Hudson Avenue, being approximately 70 by 100 feet. G. Tuoti & Co. were the brokers. Wythe Avenue and 65 Keap Street, a three-story brick store and apartment and a two-story brick dwelling for a Mr. Hamel to a client for investment.

J. Lacov sold for D. J. Reilly to H. Goldberg, a building consisting of a store with two six-room apartments above, on a lot 20 by 100, and known as 1,339 Coney Island Avenue. It was held at $18,000.

Henry L. Nielsen Company sold the large garage building on a plot 100 by 100, at 402 to 408 Baltic Street for the Motor Haulage Company, Inc. The property was held at $50,000. The same brokers sold the three-story and basement three-family brick dwelling at 187 Rutledge Street for Benjamin Jackerson to a client for occupancy.

Oliver E. Allard, as broker, sold for the Bay Holding Company, Inc., the southeast corner Gravesend Neck Road and Sheepshead Bay Road, 80 by 100, to a client.

Martin Real Estate Company, as brokers, sold for Mary M. Campbell the three-story brick dwelling at 264 Hicks Street, Brooklyn Heights. The buyer is an investor.

Commercial Leases.

Heywood, Strasser & Voight Litho Company has closed a new lease in the Heywood Building, Twenty-sixth Street and Ninth Avenue, for four floors with the Rotoprint Gravure Company, Inc., at an approximate rental of $30,000 a year for a long term of years. It has also renewed leases with Eaton & Gettinger, Inc., for a long term of years for one floor of this building at approximately the same figure.

Pease & Elliman have leased for the Guzy Realty Company, the store and basement, 41 by 100 feet, in the new building at 42-4 West Thirty-eighth Street, to Weinberg Witt, Inc.

Rice & Hill have leased for the Silver Lunch Company, the store and basement at 801 Sixth Avenue, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth Streets, to the Cent Amusement Company, for a long term of years. This store was formerly part of the old Rogers restaurant and was held at a rental of $10,000 a year. It will be extensively fitted up by the new tenant as an amusement arcade.

Finance West Side Projects.

Hughes & Hammond have placed a first mortgage loan of $1,350,000 with S. W. Straus & Co. on premises West End Avenue, southwest corner of 103d Street. This property is 100.11 by 120.6, to be improved with a fifteen-story apartment house, from the plans of Rosario Candela.

Another large apartment building was announced yesterday for West End Avenue, which is now experiencing exceptional building activity. S. W. Straus & Co. underwrote an issue of $750,000 first mortgage 6½ per cent., three to twelve year serial coupon gold bonds of the West Eighty-third Street Corporation, the principal stockholder in which is Anthony A. Paterno, builder and apartment house owner. The land and building are appraised at $1,105,500. G. Ajello is the architect. The owners will be their builders, and the brokers in the financing transaction were Hughes & Hammond. It will be a fifteen-story apartment house.

Realty Notes.

At the regular semi-annual meeting of the Board of Directors of Butler & Baldwin, Inc., George W. Ely was appointed to the board and elected Treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Nathan Harris. Mr. Ely has been associated with the firm for several years and is now acting head of the sales department.

Dowdney & Richart have placed for the Gan Realty Company, Inc., a building and permanent mortgage of $150,000 on the southwest corner of Mecomb's Road and Featherbed Lane. On this plot, 108 by 120, irregular, the owners are erecting a five and one-half story apartment with ten suites on a floor.

Sale of Steinway Oval.

Roman-Callman Company sold for Steinway & Sons, piano manufacturers, the property known as Steinway Oval, long used as an athletic field and comprising practically an entire block in the Astoria section of Long Island City, bounded by Steinway Avenue, Eleventh Avenue, Winthrop Avenue and Rikert Avenue, fronting 850 feet on Steinway Avenue and 676 feet on Eleventh Avenue. The purchaser represents a syndicate, not disclosed, which plans a future development of the property. A moving picture studio may be the improvement contemplated.

FRANK BAILEY RESIGNS.

Will Serve on Board of Trustees of Title Guarantee.

The Title Guarantee and Trust Company announced yesterday that Frank Bailey, its President, has resigned as of Jan. 1 next and that he has been elected Vice Chairman of the Board of Trustees. C. D. Burdick, who was formerly Vice President of the company, has been elected President to succeed Mr. Bailey on Jan. 1 next.

Clarence H. Kelsey will remain Chairman of the board. Mr. Bailey will remain on the Board of Trustees and serve on its important committees. He will also be retained in an advisory capacity for five years by the trustees of the Title Guarantee and Trust Company and the directors of the Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Company.

Mr. Bailey will also remain Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Prudence Company and the Realty Associates and will make his office with them. He retains his other directorships and the Chairmanship of the Mortgage Committee of the Westchester Title and Trust Company, which is associated with the Title Guarantee and Trust Company.

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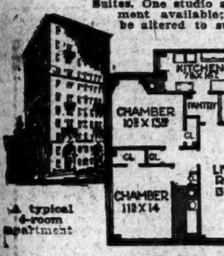

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FURNISHED ROOMS.
East Side.

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70TH, 137 WEST—Elegant floor; three large rooms, suitable three business men.

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West Side.

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CHAUFFEUR and butler, Filipino; wishes position; private; $100 month; reference; experience. B 431 Times.

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COOK—Young Filipino, U. S. veteran of foreign war, desires position bachelor apartment or small private family; best references. C 394 Times.

COOK, butler, first class; single, white; bachelor or private. B 415 Times.

COUPLE, French; wife excellent cook; man experienced chauffeur, very handy around; last position four years; no laundry; anywhere; $170; describe briefly. G 380 Times.

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DRAFTSMAN mechanical engineer, 14 years' experience; heavy, light machinery. J 378 Times.

DRAWING TEACHER, all branches, 30 years' experience, 3 days per week, want employment. G 390 Times Downtown.

ENGINEER, arrived recently from Germany, technically trained, college graduate, excellent references, wishes position. F 284 Times.

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT.

College graduate, 33 years old, married, now employed, desires position as right hand man to busy executive; 5 years' experience as office manager, 2 years selling experience, tactful in handling office help, capable correspondent; can write advertising copy; excellent references. J 252 Times.

EXECUTIVE

(Christian) of highest calibre, character, integrity; experienced in handling big business, nationally or internationally, who rapidly and successfully can organize sales force, invites firms of high standing to communicate. B 374 Times Downtown.

EXECUTIVE.

Right-hand man for busy executive; thoroughly experienced secretary, office manager, now employed; capable correspondent, good education, initiative, pleasing personality; references. B 346 Times Downtown.

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT, 27, experienced in various angles of business, 4 years' credit checking, merchandising, wholesale and retail sales work; accustomed using own initiative, capably fitted assist busy executive. J 379 Times.

EXECUTIVE.

A1 accountant, systematiser, efficiency, expert general office manager, thorough knowledge sales promotion, advertising, purchasing; unusual ability; 15 years' extensive experience. N 188 Times.

EXECUTIVE—Is there a progressive concern that can use young man, 25, with fair executive and selling ability; has recently sold his own business; salary no object. A 198 Times.

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, 30, university graduate, desires position with opportunity for development; can assume responsibility; ten years' thorough business training; Al references. B 404 Times.

EXECUTIVE, American, 36, traveled extensively Scandinavia, Russia, Europe, desires permanent connection, America or abroad. B 397 Times.

HANDKERCHIEF MAN open; understands every angle of business. F 262 Times.

JAPANESE COOK, economical, now employed and recommended by Mrs. W. P. Allen, desires position in small family. Address Moto, School Lane, Manhasset, L. I.

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I have the ability to write letters which induce people to act; I can show samples of such letters; I would like to hear from advertising and sales managers whose organizations have products that can be sold by direct correspondence. George Wilkins, 267 Berkeley Place, Brooklyn.

MAN, respectable, middle-aged, wishes position invalid gentleman or butler; highest references; speaks English, French, German. 38 East 97th St., Apt. 1.

MAN, 32, intelligent, personality, wishes position requiring extensive travel. B 405 Times.

MAN, with car, as collector, or good proposition. G 370 Times.

MANAGER, estate or large farm; 18 years' experience, with ability to manage on economical basis; married, age 35; knowledge production, sales, construction, transportation, real estate; cash or bond security; immediate connection. F 274 Times.

MANAGER.

Sales or general; employed; available immediately; broad experience; irreproachable record; Christian; no securities. B 406 Times.

PAINTER and designer of furniture, models and antiques and all reproductions; also speaks French, Italian and Spanish; wishes position in furniture factory advertising department, or as teacher. Address Dr. Meyer, Pennsylvania Hotel, Room 800.

PHYSICAL DIRECTOR desires position, day, evenings. J 372 Times.

PURCHASING AGENT, experienced in printing, advertising machinery and factory supplies, can qualify as production manager of a large advertising agency. A 195 Times.

SALES MANAGER.

Are you interested in a man with wide experience who has shown results; have had only two connections in the past 12 years in knit goods and men's wear lines; excellent reasons for making a change Jan. 1; a proven organizer and business getter; all communications will be held strictly confidential. X 2066 Times Annex.

SALES MANAGER, technical or building products, available Jan. 1; broad experience, with national sales development; is offered, backed by the highest credentials and record of success. B 400 Times.

SALESMAN—Young man, 25, wants position where earnings depend upon hard work; no selling experience, but knows he is smart, active, intelligent and ambitious would prove good investment to concern employing same. A 196 Times.

SALESMAN COVERING NEW YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA OPEN FOR STRONG SIDE LINE; ONE THAT CAN BE SHOWN QUICKLY. C 414 TIMES.

SALESMAN, high-grade specialty, living Atlanta, acquainted South and Southeast, desires connection Jan. 10; salary, commission basis; local and Atlanta references. F 271 Times.

SALESMAN, managerial experience, wholesale and retail, seeks connection with reliable mercantile organization; age 37, married. J 380 Times.

SALESMAN—Young man, experienced, well educated, interesting personality; no stock, insurance or advertising; excellent references. J 382 Times.

SALESMAN—Novelty jewelry, fancy goods; New York, Pennsylvania, New England, desires position with reliable house; good following; highest credentials. A 201 Times.

SALESMAN with experience and well established connection selling for established firm; some salary necessary. G 388 Times.

SALESMAN, specialty; ten years' successful sales experience National cash registers, gives usual reputation. A 1126 Times Harlem.

SALESMAN—Long experience musical instrument line; exceptional references. B 419 Times.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

SALESMAN, experienced, seeks connection, lumber, paint or furniture; salary. J 208 Times.

SALESMAN—Able and experienced party desires affiliation with representative firm. A 190 Times.

SALESMAN, Southern territory; 15 years soliciting department store, drug, jewelry trade with high-class tollerware. B 388 Times.

SALESMAN desires good, legitimate line for the city; twelve years' road experience; highest reference. B 396 Times.

SALESMAN seeks side line, interested selling staple commodities. B 1106 Times Harlem.

SALESMAN, ladies' dresses, wishes position. Lang, 324 East 81st St. Plaza 1183.

SALESMAN open for line through Middle West; best references. G 382 Times.

SECRETARY, private, 24, college graduate; references; no stenography. C 381 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, correspondent, thoroughly experienced, seeks responsible position; $30. Wilson, 246 West 107th.

TILESETTER, non-union, steady, reasonable, anywhere; can furnish helper. B 382 Times.

TRAFFIC MANAGER, 34, himself a worker, available Jan. 2. M 457 Times.

WARPER, 21, experienced silk, worsted, desires change; anywhere. B 407 Times.

WRITER, 23, wants position where he can use pen. J 239 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, desires position offering advancement; possesses good education, selling ability; nine years' bookkeeping, shipping and stock experience; unquestionable references. P 100 Times.

YOUNG MAN, Christian, 25, active, educated, intelligent, industrious, typist, clerical experience, absolutely trustworthy, capable assuming responsible position; salary secondary; references. B 1106 Times Harlem.

YOUNG MAN, university education, English, German, French; energetic, ambitious; references; some business experience; seeks work commercial or intellectual, in congenial surroundings. B 418 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 22, aggressive, technical graduate, desires connection with a reliable manufacturing concern. G., 1,920 61st St., Brooklyn.

YOUNG MAN, 25, Christian, desires position with advancement; experienced stock, order, shipping and inside salesman. G 232 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 25, technical and commercial experience, engineering graduate, result getter; salary secondary to opportunity. B 411 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, high school graduate, 2 years college, 5 years' business experience, wishes responsible position at anything except packing. J 375 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 22, desires remunerative connection with reliable concern; have office and am financially responsible; correspondence invited. C 424 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 23, high school; presently employed, ambitious, unquestionable reference, desires work with Al future. C 238 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, mail department experience; start at reasonable salary with reliable house; highest credentials. B 398 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, college graduate; excellent correspondent; knowledge bookkeeper. C 378 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 27, wishes position at anything; clerical experience. Charles Dreher, 773 Amsterdam Av.

YOUNG MAN, 21, high school graduate; business experience; references. B 422 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 21, to connect with mercantile house; small salary; best references. Rosenberg, 117 West 114th St. Cathedral 8648.

YOUNG MAN, knowledge foreign countries, desires connection reputable concern. A 194 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 7 years' banking experience, desires connection with real estate or commercial house. G 755 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, university education, English, German, French, energetic, ambitious, references; some business experience, seeks position. P 100 Times.

YOUNG man desires position, manager dairy chain store or buyer; 7 years' experience. B. F., 27 Times.

YOUNG MAN, married, 27, wishes position, inside or out; formerly traffic man. 30 N. Y. Times Brooklyn Branch.

YOUNG MAN, 18, wishes to learn good trade; salary no object. A 197 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, wishes position from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. B 364 Times.

YOUNG MAN, ex-service, desires office or sales position. B 390 Times.

YOUNG MAN, experienced selling, wishes position reliable concern. C 423 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, wishes position traveling, any line. W 572 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, stock; shipping clerk. Ben Richman, 51 East 106th St.

WANTED—A FUTURE.

Young man, 23, good education and 5 years' import, export, financial experience, wishes any position that offers a future. G 984 Times Downtown.

CAPABLE young executive, married, five years' accounting and office experience, one year selling, desires office position or accounting where ability is eventually appreciated. 497 West N. Y. Times Brooklyn Branch.

GENTLEMAN of mature age desires position in bank or as confidential man; qualified by years of service, with first-class references. B 872 Times Downtown.

Employment Agencies.

JAPANESE Employment Bureau — Cooks, butlers, houseworkers; references. 100 West 46th. Bryant 7787.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

ADVERTISING PHONE SOLICITORS, thoroughly experienced, for large Jewish national newspaper, to solicit classified ads over phone; salary and commission. For appointment phone Orchard 7000. Mr. Solomon.

BOOKKEEPERS' ASSISTANT, young lady, experienced in wholesale dress or kindred lines; good penmanship especial; must understand accounts payable and also contractors' accounts; do not apply unless you can qualify. Hyman & Goldston, 342 West 36th.

BOOKKEEPER - STENOGRAPHER — MUST HAVE LONG EXPERIENCE IN AUTO-FINANCING BUSINESS; REFERENCES. HABER BROS., 91 5TH. STUYVESANT 7329.

BOOKKEEPER, expert on Elliott Fisher bookkeeping machine; permanent position; state salary and experience. W 550 Times.

BOOKKEEPER wanted, young lady with knowledge of stenography and typewriting. Apply 42 East 14th St., third floor.

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CANDY girl, experienced. Apply Candy Shop, 57th St. and Lexington Av.

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An all-year-round position for a young woman with experience in first-class dressmaking establishment. Apply by letter, stating age and full experience to

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FILE CLERK for large real estate office, neat penmanship and familiarity with clerical work essential; real estate experience desirable; state salary and experience. W 840 Times Downtown.

FILE CLERK, experienced typist, able to operate switchboard. W 548 Times.

GIRL, sample department, silk commission house; state age, experience and salary expected. Box 512, 250 World Tower Building.

GIRL, 16 or 17, to work in mail department; apply between 10 and 12. See Miss Probst, Goodrich Rubber Co., 1,700 Broadway.

GOVERNESS, French, wanted for two children, five years old; entire charge, physical care; good library; must have first-class personal references. 951 West 180th, Apt. 11C. Call Wednesday, 9-1.

HOUSEKEEPER for family's home in country; must cook for owner week-ends; wages $60 per month; give copy of references. Address M. L. Perry, 51 West 56th.

HOUSEKEEPER, neat, colored; doctor's small apartment; no laundry; steady. W 923 Times.

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LEDGER CLERK, office large publishing house; bookkeeping or commercial training necessary; salary $65 monthly and bonus; good opportunity; state age, religion and telephone. Write Box 874, 206 Fitzgerald Bldg.

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TALL, SLENDER, ATTRACTIVE YOUNG LADIES.

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MODELS, tall and attractive, for high-class gowns; pleasant surroundings; good salary. Apply Kaliman & Cohn, 215 West 35th.

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NURSE, white, two children, 5-8 years; references. Call Drug Store, 475 7th Av., 10-12, 3-5.

NURSE, graduate, Jewish orphanage; institutional experience essential; good salary and maintenance. Apply 274 East 3d St.

NURSE for two children, boy 4 years old, girl 4 months; must be experienced. Jamaica 6392.

NURSE, experienced, for infant and 3-year girl; references. Stern, 160 West 87th. Schuyler 3837.

NURSE for 2 schoolboys, to do chamberwork mornings; splendid position. Mrs. H. Samson, 307 West 70th.

OPERATOR and typist for Burroughs bookkeeping machine. W. J. Rush & Co., Inc., 570 7th Av., New York.

ORDER CLERK, experienced, for novelty and bead house; one who has had years of experience, or has been employed in similar capacity previously, honest, neat, accurate, living with parents; first-class references required; permanent position for the right party; don't apply unless fully qualified. Address Novelty, Box 106, Station F, Manhattan.

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An opportunity to build up a steady remunerative income on commission selling high-grade greeting cards to business and professional men. Call John Baumgarth Co., 15 East 40th St.

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SALESWOMAN in high-grade specialty sport wear shops, selling experience in dress line absolutely necessary; give full particulars as to experience, age, references, &c. Call at 1107 Broadway, room 1,015, between 2 and 4 P. M.

SALESWOMEN, thoroughly experienced, for high-class gown shop; steady position; salary $30 to $50; only those that are capable need apply. Call at 401 week, Rhoda Gown Shop, 626 Madison Av.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER to fashion editor of daily trade newspaper; well educated young woman with editorial ability and knowledge of French, preferably one who has lived abroad. H. R., 130 Times.

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Young lady about 17 years of age, with at least two-year term in high school and who has studied stenography, can secure position in large mercantile organization as beginner. Every opportunity for development will be given; good salary to start. State age, school, religious preference.

H. S., 622 Times Downtown.

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BUICK sedan for sale; 1923; 7-passenger; guaranteed. Buick Service, 318 West 48th.

BUICK, 1923, red sport touring; mileage, 2,300; must sacrifice. 235 West 58th.

BUICK 1922 sedan, $400, balance $550 on easy terms. Jandorf, 1,739 Broadway.

CADILLAC 61 Imperial Amesbury.
CADILLAC 61 sedan, 7-passenger.
CADILLAC 57 double letter coupe.
PIERCE-ARROW 1923 touring.
PIERCE-ARROW 1923 sport sedan.
PACKARD single six touring.
POWERS & MARQUIS,
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CADILLAC, limousines, landaulettes, town car; sacrifice prices, $200, $250, $300, $450, $650 up to $1,250; all worth double. Jandorf, 1,739 Broadway. (Established in 1899.)

CADILLAC USED CARS—ALL MODELS.
Uptown Cadillac Corporation.
7 West 61st St. (Used Car Dept.)
PHONE COLUMBUS 7700.

CADILLAC sedan, Amesbury and suburban; very low prices; easy payments. 1,739 Broadway.

CADILLAC coupe, brand new; driven 40 miles; excellent opportunity new car buyer. Knickerbocker, 1,694 Broadway. Circle 8802.

CADILLAC "V-63" SUBURBAN.
Substantial saving off list prices.
L. H. JACOBS & CO., 51,860 B'WAY.

CADILLAC, Imperial Sedan, 61; positively like new. Phone Bergen 990-W.

CADILLAC 1926 sport sedan; exceptional sacrifice. Scott, 136 West 52d. Circle 3222.

CLEVELAND SEDAN, SERIES '22.

$328 cash and $65.63 monthly for 10 months; overhauled thoroughly, repainted and guaranteed; many extras.

Also a Chandler coupe.

HULETT MOTOR CAR CO., INC., 1,885 Broadway. Columbus 1011.

COLE SEDAN, 1924 CONTRACT.
Big sacrifice. M., 400 East 148th.

DODGE 1923 sedan, special equipment, perfect; Studebaker 1923 sedan, special 6, exceptional; Marmon 1924 sedan, front wheel brakes; 5 sedans, single 6 sedan, 5-passenger; Cadillac "59" "U" sedan, 5-passenger.
MARMON AGENCY,
401 Flatbush Av., Brooklyn. Nevins 2176.

DODGE touring, unusually good condition; number of extras; mechanically perfect; looks like new; must sacrifice for cash. Phone Academy 1794.

DODGE sedan, 8, 1923; 5-passenger; very fine mileage; make offer. New Amsterdam Storage Warehouse, 19 West 67th St.

DuPONT roadster demonstrator; almost new; used less than 1,200 miles; perfect condition; covered by same guarantee as new car; new price, $2,600; will sell for $1,500. For information and demonstration, call DuPONT MOTORS, INC., 253 West 57th. Circle 8042.

DURANT 1923 sport, serial N-28000 (certified); like new in every way; buy now and save money. Oakland Motor Car Co., 225 West 57th St. Circle 4314. Open evenings.

ESSEX, open and closed models; some of these cars have been overhauled and repainted; immediate delivery; inspection invited. Hudson Exchange Car Department, 1,771 Broadway. Circle 6830. Open evenings.

FIAT town limousine, late model; like new; cost $4,200; any one contemplating purchasing a small town car should take advantage of this bargain for $2,200. Bouchard, 18 West 63d.

FIAT Baby Sedan, Model 501, late series; in exceptionally fine condition throughout; car ran less than 3,000 miles; price $1,000. Ray Gilhooly, Grenoble Hotel, 58th St. and 7th Av. Phone 0945 Circle.

FORD 1923 coupe; like new; extra equipment. G. Barker, Bensonhurst 5370J, 8,929 15th Av., near Cropsey Av.

FORD coupe, excellent condition; many extras; $150. Endicott 9676. Dana.

FRANKLIN 9-B SEDAN
in excellent mechanical condition; needs painting; going abroad, must sell quick; bargain, $750. J. Rose & Co., 114 West 39th. Fitzroy 0078.

FRANKLIN sedan 1922; exceptional opportunity; newly painted and in perfect mechanical condition; bargain for quick sale. Phone owner, Gramercy 0680.

HAYNES SEDAN LATE 1922.
Practically new; sacrifice, easy terms; free instruction. 2,394 Grand Concourse. Kellog 6001.

LAFAYETTE 1923 touring, like new; make offer. International Warehouse, 128 West 54th.

LINCOLN 1921 7-PASS. TOURING.
LINCOLN 1923 4-pass. sport model, guaranteed like new; driven only 1,500 miles.
LINCOLN USED CAR DEPT.
216 West 58th St. Circle 6363.

LINCOLN 1923 suburban sedan; sacrifice. Scott, 136 West 52d. Circle 3222.

LINCOLN 1924 five-passenger coupe; sacrifice, Scott, 136 West 52d. Circle 3222.

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Handsomest sedans and touring cars ever built. Can save you $1,000 on a brand new one; we have them to display. Brighton Auto Exchange, 1,077 Atlantic Av., Brooklyn.

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Time payments; trades accepted. Do not buy any truck until you see these.

RAINIER MOTOR CORPORATION,
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THE LOCOMOBILE COMPANY,
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Maxwell Touring	Dodge Touring
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COLT STEWART CO.,
157 West 58th St. (7th Av.) Circle 5550.

MERCER (late) coupes, sedans, about quarter of values! 1,739 Broadway. Circle 2476.

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NASH contract; any model; will lose $100. Dickins 2032.

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PACKARD 128 sedan five-passenger; latest model; only driven 7,000 miles; fully equipped; entire car in excellent condition. Packard Westchester Co. Phone White Plains 2990.

PACKARD TOWN CAR.
Landau Brougham, Body by Fleetwood.
Newly Painted & Upholstered, $1,500.
Garage, 127 West 53d St.

PACKARD 1923 single six coupe; sacrifice. Fischer, 136 West 52d. Circle 0618.

PEERLESS suburban coupe, late 1923 model; splendid condition throughout; cash $3,700; make offer. Mr. Costa, Bergen 0883.

PEERLESS 1921, 4-passenger sport touring; practically new; $875. New Amsterdam Storage Warehouse, 19 West 67th St.

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RENAULT 1922 LIMOUSINE, $1,750. Cost $8,000. 240 West 59th St.

RICKENBACKER coupe, 1923 model; 6 months old; perfect condition; owner leaving town; bargain to quick buyer. Boulevard 9015.

STUDEBAKER 1923 Big Six 7-passenger touring; repainted.
PACKARD MOTOR CAR CO. OF N. Y.
Broadway at 61st St. Columbus 8900.

STUDEBAKER 1924 light six touring, Spring delivery; will assign paid contract at substantial discount. S 1097 Times Annex.

WILLYS-KNIGHT SEDAN.
7-passenger, current model, newly painted, equipped with brand-new tires; backed by our guarantee; price very reasonable; liberal time payments arranged. Willys-Overland, Inc., Broadway at 50th. Open evenings.

EXCEPTIONAL PRICES.

If you are considering purchasing an automobile, now is the time to act. We have some choice cars. All models like new. Prices are right. The following are a few:

MOST OF THESE CARS GUARANTEED. NEW TIRES—PAINT—&C.

WILLS SAINTE CLAIRE
1922 Town Car.
1923 Sedan.
1921 "22-"23 Touring.
1921 "22-"23 Roadster.
1923 4-passenger Brougham.

Late Cadillac Coupe.

The prices of $1,000, $1,400, $1,800, $2,600, $2,400, $3,200 will have a strong appeal.

WILLS SAINTE CLAIRE USED CAR DEPT.
109 West 64th St.

FOR SALE—Beautiful late 18 4-passenger Loco coupe; looks like new car and runs perfectly; never driven except by owner; 4 good tires, 2 new; a snappy, classy car, and one to be proud of; leaving for Europe, reason for selling. Baumohl. Phone Nevens 1876.

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DIAMOND T car, 2½ ton, model U2, on order contract, for sale or exchange; immediate delivery; deposit $500; will sell for $350. Hunold, 619 9th Av., N. Y. City.

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BREWSTER and Lancia ideal town cars; exclusive service; moderate rates. Columbus 8525.

CADILLAC, PACKARDS, late models; hour, day, month; reasonable. Call Low, Schuyler 4600.

CADILLAC, PACKARD; NEW CARS. OWNER, PHONE 0346 SCHUYLER, EL-LIS.

CADILLAC—Late model, $3 per hour, week-ly, monthly; owner drives. Columbus 2151.

CADILLAC—Town brougham; owner drives; moderate rates delivered. Columbus 9705.

PACKARD limousine, new models, rented for calling, shopping, theatre, opera, weddings; reasonable rates. NAUGHTON GARAGE CO., 153-157 East 53d. Phone Plaza 2100.

PACKARD limousines and cabriolets, latest models, $4 per hour; day, anywhere. The Biltmore Packard Auto Renting Co., 144-146 East 41st. Vanderbilt 5061.

PIERCE-ARROWS—Classy limousines; $5 hourly; special weekly, monthly rates. Endicott 0121.

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CADILLAC coupe, 23-24 model; state mileage, where seen. C 75 Times.

AUTO OWNERS, ATTENTION!
We will pay highest prices; call and be convinced. 875 7th Av., at 56th St. Circle 8695.

CARS WANTED—CASH WAITING.
Burrelle, 1,900 Broadway. Columbus 2000.

AUTOMOBILES wanted; spot cash waiting. International Warehouse, 128 West 54th St.

Automobile Bodies.

SEVERAL new and used sedan bodies for Packard, Cadillac, &c. Flagler, 159 Carlton Av., Brooklyn.

Automobile Storage.

DEAD STORAGE AUTOMOBILES, $8 monthly and up; steam heated building. 310 West 143d. Phone Audubon 0504.

Loans on Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS
can secure loans on cars while being used or in storage; loans made immediately; strictly confidential.
CIRCLE AUTO FINANCE CO.,
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Car remains in your possession.
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The Civil Service.

United States.

AERONAUTICAL ENGINEER—There will be an examination on Jan. 9 for junior aeronautical engineer and junior mechanical engineer (for aeronautical work) to fill vacancies in the Engine Test Laboratory, Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., at $3.40 to $7.20 a day. The duties will be to assist in conduct of experimental and research tests, perform calculations, design apparatus, compile reports or otherwise assist in the work of a research laboratory devoted to the study of aeronautic power plants and aerodynamic problems. The subjects are: General physics, 20; mathematics through calculus, 25; practical questions on aeronautical and mechanical engineering, 30, and education, training and experience, 25. Applicants must have graduated in engineering, except that senior students will be admitted subject to finishing within three months the course of study and graduating. Applicants who have completed at least two years of such course may substitute a year of engineering experience. Each completed year of an arts and science course will be accepted as equivalent to no more than three-fourths of a year of engineering course. Applicants must not have reached their seventieth birthday.

SPECIAL AGENT—There will be an examination on Jan. 9 for special agent in the Special Intelligence Unit, Bureau of Internal Revenue, Treasury Department, at $2,250 to $3,000 a year, with allowance for actual traveling expenses. The duties are, first, to detect serious infraction of disciplinary rules or regulations of the service of such a nature as to require special attention or which may indicate probable criminality; and, second, charges indicating serious violation of the internal revenue laws, which will require the services of men experienced in developing evidence in criminal cases. Appointees may be sent to all parts of the United States. The subjects are: Mental tests, 70, and report, writing on a subject connected with the duties of the position, 30. Applicants must have reached their twenty-fifth, but not their seventieth, birthday.

Examinations for the above positions will be held in New York State at Binghamton, Buffalo, Elmira, Ithaca, Jamestown, New York City, Ogdensburg, Jamestown, Plattsburg, Poughkeepsie, Rochester, Syracuse, Troy and Utica, and in New Jersey at Atlantic City, Camden, Newark and Trenton.

ASSISTANT BACTERIOLOGIST—Applications will be received up to Dec. 26 for an examination for assistant bacteriologist (food products) to fill vacancies in the Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture, Washington, at $2,040 to $2,500 a year. Appointees will assist in the prosecution of investigations upon fruit and vegetable utilization, particularly in canning and preserving. This work will involve the carrying on of routine studies, the development of methods and apparatus, the performing of carefully conducted experiments and the collection and analysis of bacteriological data. The duties of present vacancy require a knowledge of electricity. Competitors will not be required to report at any place for examination, but will be rated upon their sworn and corroborated statements. The subjects are: Education, training and experience, 70, and publication of thesis, 30. Applicants must have graduated with a bachelor's degree in a course requiring at least 118 semester hours credit, with major work in bacteriology. Professional degree in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, &c., will not be accepted. In addition applicants must show at least two years' experience in the application of bacteriology to farm, home or commercial problems. Two years' graduate study will be accepted in lieu of one year only of this experience. Applicants must not have reached their fifty-fifth birthday.

Estates Appraised.

New York.

BOWES, WILLIAM M. (Jan. 4, 1921). Agnes A., wife, is executrix and gets the estate of $78,892, the bulk of which is in stock of the Clayton Manufacturing Company of Bristol, Conn., of which he was President.

CLARK, JULIA W. (Feb. 21). Resident of Rhode Island. George H. Clarke was executor of $46,291, of which $19,050 was in New York, and went to two nieces.

MARKS, JACOB (April 3, 1922). Morris Needle, executor of $31,419, left to brother, nephews and nieces.

McCLURE, JOHN (March 29, 1921). Mabel and W. J. McClure, son and daughter, are executors and get $8,717 each of the estate of $18,942, while only $100 each went to John F. and David H. McClure, sons. The testator said he made the $100 bequests "in view of the large amounts I was required to spend for their account during many years past without any return to me."

McCOY, FRANK (July 18). Roelta D. Jones, daughter, is executrix and gets half the estate of $147,845, while the other half is divided between a son and grandson. He was a stockholder now in W. J. Gaynin liquidation, but the value of his interest is only $2,000 because the Government has a claim of $40,000 against the undivided assets of $80,000.

PREISER, JOSEPH (Feb. 11). Annie Preiser, executrix of $32,529, left to widow, two sons and daughter.

CECELIA ROSETT (March 7). Hugo Rosenstein, executor of $30,961, left to husband and nieces, with the exception of $5,000 to Jewish charities.

STAIGER, GUSTAV (Nov. 4, 1922). Wilhelmina Staiger, executrix of $21,175, left to widow and daughter.

Kings.

CRUMP, WILLIAM R. (June 9, 1922). Gross estate, $21,774; net, $17,704. Assets include lots in Hampstead and West Islip, $1,370; money in banks, $6,236; mortgages, $3,112; 20 shares J. B. Ross Engineering Company, $2,000; National Bank of Saugerties, 10 shares, $1,000; a bond of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, 1987; bonds of Republic of Bolivia, $5,062, and Robert Gair Company bonds, $1,975. Estate passes to Emma Frances Crump, wife, $8,688; James Irving Crump and William Leslie Crump, $4,509 each.

FITZSIMMONS, JOHN A (Nov. 13). Estate, $2,522. To Emma Louise Smith, sister.

FRIEDMAN, ANNA (Aug. 4, 1921). Estate, $6,300. To Sam Friedman, husband.

FULLEN, FANNY (July 19). Estate, $7,191. To George, Daniel and John Cooper, brothers, and Nettie Brown and Martha Henshel, sisters, $1,438 each.

SMITH, MARGARET H. (March 4). Gross estate, $12,191; net, $10,428. Assets include money in banks, $4,250; personality, $386, and stocks and bonds, $7,464. Estate passes to Le Grand H. and G. Harrison Smith, sons, $5,214 each.

SONDHEIMER, JOSEPH (June 29, 1920). Estate, $5,125. To Rachel Sondheimer, wife, $1,708; to Stella S. Cahn, daughter, $3,416.

Army Orders and Assignments.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The War Department publishes these orders today:

Ordnance Department.

Vander Hyden, Capt. W. F., to duty in office Asst. Sec'y of War, Washington.
Hartrick, 1st Lt. G. R., to N. Y., and sail for San Francisco about May 17, then to Honolulu about June 3.

Quartermaster Corps.

Mortimer, Major C. G., to duty in office of Chief of Militia Bur.
Shawn, Capt. P. D., from N. Y. C. to San Francisco and sail about June 3 for Honolulu.
Hartman, Capt. G. E., to duty as asst. to the Qm. Sup. Offr., San Francisco Gen. Intermediate Depot; Ft. Mason.

Miscellaneous.

Randolph, Capt. W. M., Air Svc., to San Francisco and sail about April 24 for Panama.
Hughes, Capt. R. C., Dent. Corps, to San Francisco and sail for Honolulu about April 8.
Simmonds, 1st Lt. C. D., from Ft. Slocum to San Francisco and sail about Feb. 12 for Honolulu.

Leaves.

Erwin, Major V. P., F.A., 2 mos.
Shawn, Capt. P. D., Qm.C., 2 mos.
Schoeneberger, 1st Lt. F., Air Svc., 10 days' ext.
Simmonds, 1st Lt. C. D., Inf., 16 days.
Rogers, 1st Lt. R. G., Qm.C., 2 mos.

National Guard Orders.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 18.—These National Guard orders were bulletined at the office of the Adjutant General today:

Commissioned.

Kidder, 2d Lt. Charles J., 27th Air Svs., and Sowdon, 2d Lt. Arthur W. 27th Air Svc., for assignment to 102d Obn. Squadron.
Hall, 1st Lt. Richard C., 107th Inf., for assignment to Co. A.

Resignations Accepted.

Broughton, Capt. Leamans, 106th Inf.; Roth, 1st Lt. John P., 369th Inf.; Hoddick, 1st Lt. Arthur H., 174th Inf.

To Active Duty.

Littauer, Maj. Kenneth P., 27th Div., Air Svcs., with 27th Air Svce.

Naval Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Bureau of Navigation published these orders today:

CAPTAIN.

Kaiser, L. A., to temp. duty as Comdt. 8th Nav. Dist.

LIEUT. COMMANDER.

Stephenson, C. S., to rec'g ship at San Francisco.

LIEUTENANTS.

Dingwell, P. D., to the S-28.
Case, M., to the Kane.
O'Donnell, T., to Navy Yard, Philadelphia

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The disturbance that was centre north of Nova Scotia Monday night has moved slowly eastward and the north Pacific storm has moved eastward over the Canadian Northwest. Another disturbance developed Tuesday over the plateau region, whence it will move eastward. Pressure was high Tuesday night east of the Mississippi River and over the West Gulf States. There have been local rains within the last twenty-four hours in the Gulf States, Arkansas and the Pacific States from Central California northward. Elsewhere the weather has remained fair. The temperature was higher in the Canadian Northwest and lower in New England Tuesday and changed very little in other parts of the country.

The indications are for local rains in the East Gulf States, Tennessee and the lower Ohio Valley Wednesday and Thursday and in the upper Ohio Valley, the lower lake region and the Atlantic States from Virginia southward on Thursday, while the weather will remain fair in the Atlantic States north of Virginia until Thursday night, when rain is probable. The temperature will rise in the upper Ohio Valley Wednesday and in the lower lake region and the Middle Atlantic and North Atlantic States Wednesday and Thursday. Mild temperature will continue in the lower Ohio Valley, Tennessee the East Gulf and South Atlantic States.

COMPARATIVE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Observations at United States Weather Bureau stations during the twenty-four hours preceding 8 P. M. yesterday:

Station.	Temperature. High.	Low.	Barom-eter.	Rain-fall.	Weather.
Abilene	46	40	30.12	..	Cloudy
Albany	28	18	30.52	..	Cloudy
Atlanta	54	42	30.34	..	Cloudy
Atlantic City	42	30	30.50	..	Clear
Baltimore	46	36	30.52	..	Cloudy
Bismarck	54	22	29.88	..	Clear
Boston	32	20	30.44	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Buffalo	34	24	30.44	..	Clear
Charleston	62	40	30.36	..	Clear
Chicago	54	42	30.22	..	Clear
Cincinnati	56	28	30.32	..	Clear
Cleveland	48	34	30.36	..	Clear
Denver	50	28	29.90	..	Clear
Detroit	46	32	30.32	..	Clear
Galveston	56	50	30.12	.42	Rain
Helena	46	26	29.88	..	Cloudy
Jacksonville	60	54	30.22	..	Cloudy
Kansas City	52	38	30.16	..	Cloudy
Los Angeles	68	56	29.92	..	Cloudy
Milwaukee	52	34	30.16	..	Clear
Minneapolis-St. Paul	54	28	29.92	..	Clear
New Orleans	60	52	30.18	..	Cloudy
New York	38	30	30.50	..	Clear
Oklahoma	48	36	30.14	..	Cloudy
Philadelphia	42	34	30.50	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Pittsburgh	44	32	30.40	..	Clear
Portland, Me.	26	16	30.42	..	Clear
Portland Ore.	52	46	29.94	.56	Rain
Salt Lake City	26	20	30.04	..	Cloudy
San Antonio	50	42	30.14	.10	Rain
San Diego	66	50	29.92	..	Cloudy
San Francisco	56	50	29.96	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Seattle	48	46	29.96	..	Pt. Cl'dy
St. Louis	56	42	30.22	..	Clear
Washington	44	32	30.50	..	Clear

Northern and Southern New England, Eastern New York, New Jersey and Delaware—Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday cloudy and warmer, probably becoming unsettled.

Western Pennsylvania and Western New York—Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday unsettled and warmer, probably rain.

NEW YORK CITY WEATHER RECORDS.

Official Temperature.

8 AM.	32	12 M.	32
6 AM.	29	1 PM.	33
8 AM.	29	2 PM.	34
9 AM.	33	3 PM.	35
10 AM.	35	4 PM.	35
11 AM.	34	5 PM.	34
6 PM.	34		
7 PM.	34		
8 PM.	32		
9 PM.	32		
10 PM.	32		

Average temperature yesterday, 34.
Average same date last year, 28.
Average same date for 46 years, 34.

Barometer, 30.43 at 8 A. M.; 30.50 at 8 P. M.

Winds at 8 A. M., northwest; velocity 20 miles; at 8 P. M., north, velocity 9 miles.

Weather, cloudy at 8 A. M.; clear at 8 P. M.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Fair and slightly warmer Wednesday. Thursday unsettled and warmer; probably rain.

South Carolina—Partly cloudy Wednesday. Thursday unsettled; probably rain; little change in temperature.

Georgia — Cloudy, probably local rains in west Wednesday. Thursday rain; little change in temperature.

Florida — Mostly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday; probably local rains in north; little change in temperature.

Northwest Florida, Alabama and Mississippi — Local rains Wednesday and Thursday; little change in temperature.

Tennessee—Cloudy in northeast and unsettled, probably local rains in west and south Wednesday. Thursday rain; mild temperature.

Ohio — Increasing cloudiness and warmer Wednesday, followed by rain Wednesday night or Thursday.

Illinois and Indiana—Rain Wednesday or Wednesday night and possibly on Thursday; moderate temperature.

Lower Michigan—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by rain by night or on Thursday; moderate temperature.

Upper Michigan—Somewhat unsettled Wednesday and Thursday; moderate temperature.

Missouri—Rain probably Wednesday. Thursday mostly cloudy; moderate temperature.

Iowa—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, possibly rain southeast.

Minnesota—Thursday mostly cloudy, moderate temperature; somewhat colder Thursday.

Wisconsin—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by rain. Thursday cloudy and somewhat unsettled; moderate temperature.

North and South Dakota—Cloudy Wednesday and Thursday; somewhat colder Wednesday and Thursday.

South Dakota—Fair Wednesday, probably becoming unsettled Thursday; somewhat colder Thursday.

Nebraska—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, becoming unsettled Thursday; somewhat colder by Thursday night.

Kansas—Somewhat unsettled Wednesday and Thursday, probably rain; not much change in temperature.

Montana—Cloudy and somewhat unsettled Wednesday and Thursday, probably rain or snow by Wednesday night; colder Thursday.

Wyoming—Increasing cloudiness, followed by rain or snow by Wednesday night and on Thursday; colder Thursday.

Eastern Texas—Wednesday and Thursday unsettled and slightly warmer, probably local rains.

Western Texas—Mostly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday, probably local rains in North and East; somewhat warmer Wednesday.

Fire Record.

A. M.

12:55—981 8th Av.: not given....Not given
2:52—632 E. 186 St.: not given.....Slight
6:35—Gunhill Road and Perry Av.: shanty: not given.....Slight
8:05—1,951 Amsterdam Av.: Robert Graham .....Slight
8:20—1,047 Westchester Av.: Harry Korbin .....Slight
9:55—119 E. B'way; automobile; William Brown .....Not given
10:45—32 E. 127 St.: Yard Dept. of Street Cleaning .....Not given
11:20—9 E. 14 St.: Sam Singer.....Trifling
11:40—235 3d Av.: Sam Raubbin....Not given

P. M.

1:00—161 W. 102 St.: not given....Not given
1:09—Washington and Duane Sts., auto; B. Smith .....Not given
2:00—811 W. 134 St.: T. Bronegan..Not given
3:05—165 Fulton St.: United Cigar Store.. .....Not given
3:25—173 St. and Broadway; not given.. .....Not given
4:30—128 West 139 St.: not given..Not given
5:00—61 East 129 St.: not given....Not given
7:15—230 W. 97 St.: not given.....Not given
9:45—3,061 Brook Av., Bronx; J. Cushman .....Not given
6:25—700 Greenwich St.; Farrell Coal Co. .....Slight
7:10—161 W. 141 St.....None
7:10—448 W. 23 St.: J. Stanley....Not given
7:35—3,711 3 Av., the Bronx; L. Nasito. .....Not given
7:45—538 6th Av.: James Butler...Not given
8:20—1,819 2 Av.....Not given
9:15—179 East Broadway: Mrs. Lipshitz .....Not given
9:25—301 E. 92 St.: Smith & Donahue. .....Not given
9:30—108 E. 119 St.: not given....Not given

CORRECTION—The Fire Record of Dec. 12 represented a fire as having occurred in the premises of S. C. Stein at 27 West 34th St. The Fire Marshal's office reports the fire occurred in other premises at that address.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of KRITZER, INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1923, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M. at 103 West 125th St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of household furniture. Terms cash.

FREDERICK F. BARTHOF, Receiver.
JESSE S. RAPHAEL, Attorney for Receiver, 116 W. 32d St., New York.

Police Department.

Acting Commissioner Leach issued this order yesterday:

Temporary Assignments.

PATROLMEN.

Edward J. Dungate, 38th Precinct, to Detective Division, to duty in office of the District Attorney, Kings, to Dec. 20; William C. Wilage, 45th Precinct, to Detective Division, to duty in office of the District Attorney, Bronx, for 5 days, from Dec. 19; Paul F. Conner, 60th Precinct, to Detective Division, to duty in office of the District Attorney, Richmond, to Dec. 22; George D. Kraemer, 76th Precinct, to Traffic Precinct D, to Jan. 18; James F. Kenny, 78th Precinct, to Headquarters Division, Division of Repairs, assigned to clerical duty, for 12 days from Dec. 18, during absence of patrolman on vacation; Eugene F. Smith, 91st Precinct, to Detective Division, to Dec. 27; Charles Zeman, 94th Precinct, to Detective Division, to duty in office of the District Attorney, Queens, to Dec. 22; Frederick Eldred, 123d Precinct, to Detective Division, to duty in office of the District Attorney, Queens, to Dec. 22; Harry E. Hansen, Traffic Precinct D, to 76th Precinct, for 30 days, from Dec. 18.

From precincts indicated to Detective Division, to duty in office of the District Attorney, New York, to Dec. 26: Edward Finn, 5; David Sheehan, 13; Walter Rose, 16; Thomas Hudson, 26; Alfred Barto, Traffic A.

PATROLWOMAN.

Hortense Thompson, 105th Precinct to 11th Inspection District, to Dec. 31.

Assignment Discontinued.

PATROLMEN—Christopher F. McCormack, 15th Precinct to 1st Inspection District (temporary), from 8 A. M., Dec. 18; Charles J. Clark, 26th Precinct to Headquarters Division, Special Service Division (temporary), from 8 A. M., Dec. 18, 1923.

Leaves With Pay.

INSPECTORS—Edwin H. West, 2d Inspection District, for 1 day, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 31, balance of vacation; Thomas McDonald, 3d Inspection District, for 2 days, from 8 A. M., Dec. 20, balance of vacation.

DEPUTY INSPECTOR—Joseph A. Howard, 2d Inspection District, for 4 days, from 8 A. M., Dec. 26, balance of vacation.

Leaves Without Pay.

PATROLMEN.

For 1 day, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 25—John F. McNally, 74; Arthur A. Austing, 78; George D. Kraemer, 76.

For 1 day, from 8 A. M., Dec. 25—David Doherty, 74; Thomas Malone, 89.

For day, from 4 P. M., Dec. 25—Patrick F. Stanton, 3; Angelo Saltalamacchia, 47; Jeremiah Byrne, 46; Louis Spamer, 125.

Pay on Sick Report Approved.

PATROLMEN—Joseph M. Heney, 14th Precinct, from Nov. 11, during disability; George W. Van Etten, 81st Precinct, from Nov. 22, during disability; Stephen Devine, 83d Precinct, from Nov. 12, to Nov. 21; James J. Flannery, 23d Precinct, from Nov. 4 to Nov. 10; Sidney Turkheimer, 23d Percinct, from Oct. 29 to Nov. 5; Charles W. Lynch, 30th Precinct, from Nov. 15, during disability; Francis O'Neill, 30th Precinct, from Oct. 17, to Oct. 23; Bertram C. Scott, 53d Precinct, from Nov. 12 to Nov. 22; Edward Feeney, 112th Precinct, from Nov. 11, during disability; Albert Harriott, 118th Precinct, from Nov. 7 to Nov. 14; John M. Nielsen, Traffic Precinct A, from Nov. 17, during disability; Edward J. Donohue, Traffic Precinct A, from Nov. 5, during disability; Thomas Collins, Traffic Precinct B from Oct. 2 to Oct. 15; Henry Stoffers, Traffic Precinct B, from Oct. 17 to Nov. 2; Henry V. Vroom, Traffic Precinct B, from Nov. 8 to Nov. 14; Clinton D. Townsend, Traffic Precinct B, from Oct. 20 to Oct. 28, and from Oct. 29 to Nov. 7; August Deutsch, Traffic Precinct D, from Oct. 31, during disability; Joseph F. Farrell, Traffic Precinct D, from Oct. 9 to Oct. 16; Albert Keppler, Motorcycle Squad No. 1, from Nov. 16, during disability; Joseph A. Mullen, Motorcycle Squad No. 2, from Oct. 28 to Nov. 14.

Advancement to Grades.

PATROLMEN.

To $2,280 Grade—Jan. 3—Philip Kelly, 21; Charles F. Belinge, 47; Richard J. O'Hara, 3d D.

To $2,280 Grade—Jan. 15—John T. Maher, 2d D.

To $2,100 Grade—Jan. 14—Frank J. Reilly, 16; Thomas W. Donigan, 53; Arthur F. V. Conley, Traf. B.

To $2,100 Grade, Jan. 9.

P. J. Ludwig	2	G. E. Hart	60
J. F. Tierney	5	W. Wallace	63
Patrick Hughes	5	Joseph Irving	63
W. J. Cornish	5	W. E. Shea	67
J. S. Colgan	13	D. F. Moriarty	78
J. J. Taylor	14	J. F. Esposito	81
J. J. O'Shea	15	Michael Meaney	91
E. A. Falls	15	W. C. Haverkamp	93
J. J. Mason	21	T. C. Dalton	93
J. F. Sheehan	21	M. J. Bauersfeld	94
J. J. Wogelin	25	H. M. J. Dilmeier	95
H. C. Osmond	25	W. L. Kavanagh	97
J. J. Glennon	26	Edward Stearn	101
C. T. Powers	26	Frank Erick	102
Frank Cheaney	29	W. A. Gordon	116
Denis Murphy	29	C. F. W. Bakler	123
Samuel Rosner	37	M. J. Fitzgerald	
W. D. McAnnand	37		Traf. A
Anthony Ippolito	37	J. J. Bertrand	Traf. B
Thomas Reardon	38	J. A. Coughlin	Traf. B
F. J. Becker	39	H. Koch	Traf. B
A. G. Bauer	39	J. J. Regan	Traf. C
M. J. Wertheimer	40	J. Sands	Traf. C
Francis Mennus	42	F. G. Kinscher	1 I.D.
J. V. Gartland Jr.	43	R. J. Ryan	3 I.D.
D. J. Sullivan	46	S. Wolkof	M.O.D.D.
J. P. O'Brien	46	A. M. Mittenswey	
G. P. Bell	50		Div. Transp.

To $2,040 Grade, Jan. 2.

M. F. Treacy	16	V. J. Priore	Traf. A
J. M. Burke	23	H. Quinn	Traf. A
J. D. Cremins	23	J. J. Morrison	Traf. B
P. B. Gallagher	23	J. Shea	Traf. B
James Kelly	23	P. Tolan	Traf. B
T. J. Tiernan	23	J. S. Walter	Traf. B
E. W. Van Name	23	T. F. Moore	Traf. C
Joseph Steinwald	23	F. F. Finnegan	
J. J. Farrell	43		Traf. D
H. F. Sauvan	47	J. D. Morrissey	
J. J. Moore	57		Traf. D
G. F. Shea	57	E. A. Moore	M.O.D.D.
C. K. Grimes	68	C. F. Kelly	M.O.D.D.
W. Fitzner Jr.	82	F. J. X. Burns	5 I.D.
Michael Damato	93	W. E. Clancy	3 D.D.
Jeremiah Benes	116	A. V. Sackett	5 D.D.
J. A. Curry	Traf. A	A. F. Schuhose	Chauf
E. T. Hackett	Traf. A	C. R. Lewis,	
M. J. Mullaney,		8 Dep. Com.	Off.
	Traf. A		

Restored to Duty.

SERGEANT—John W. Sullivan, 105th Precinct.

PATROLMAN—Harry Hansen, Traffic Precinct D.

Suspended Without Pay.

SERGEANT—John W. Sullivan, 105th Precinct.

PATROLMAN—Harry Hansen, Traffic Precinct D.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION SALE.

3,750 pairs of men's and women's shoes to be positively sold at public auction at the New Jersey State Reformatory, Rahway, New Jersey, at two P. M. on Thursday, December 20th.

1,500 prs. Women's black blucher, boarded kid upper, all sizes from 2 to 8.

1,750 prs. Off Women's black lace comfort, boarded kid upper, all sizes from 2 to 10.

850 prs. Men's black bal., plain toe, Kangaroo calf upper, all sizes from 6 to 11.

All shoes McKay sewed, oak soles, leather counters.

The manufacture of the above types of shoes has been discontinued at the Reformatory and the stock now on hand will positively be sold at auction to the highest bidder at the time and place specified.

Successful bidder will be required to deposit twenty per cent. of the total amount of bid at the time award of shoes is made, remaining amount to be paid within ten days. Shoes will be removed from Institution storage within thirty days after sale.

Inspection of shoes is invited. The stock may be seen at the New Jersey State Reformatory, Rahway, New Jersey, up to and including date of sale.

Monday to Friday.....8 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturday.....8 A. M. to 11 A. M.

DEPARTMENT INSTITUTION AND AGENCIES.
BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

MASTER'S NOTICE.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, &c.—Superior Court.—Providence, Sc.—CENTRAL UNION TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Trustee, Compalnant, vs. UNITED TRACTION AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, Defendant.—Eq. No. 1701.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF THE 1ST MORTGAGE BONDS OF UNITED TRACTION AND ELECTRIC COMPANY AND INTEREST WARRANTS OF MARCH 1, 1919, AND SEPTEMBER 1, 1919, APPERTAINING THERETO:

Pursuant to the terms of the Third Report and Petition of Arthur A. Thomas, Master in Chancery in the above entitled cause, and to the terms and provisions of an order of the Superior Court approving said Third Report and Petition, entered November 30, 1923, notice is hereby given that on and after January 1, 1924, holders of the above-named bonds and interest warrants may present the same to Industrial Trust Company at its office at 42 Westminster Street, Providence, Rhode Island, and that upon presentation and stamping thereof, as provided in said order, said Industrial Trust Company, as agent for the undersigned, will pay upon each said bond the sum of $500, and upon each of said interest warrants due March 1, 1919, and September 1, 1919, the sum of $2.22.

ARTHUR A. THOMAS,
Special Master in Chancery.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook. A. M.	P. M.	Governors Island. A. M.	P. M.	Hell Gate. A. M.	P. M.
High water	4:48	5:08	5:32	5:49	7:45	8:11
Low water	11:15	11:39	11:52	11:50	1:00	5:34

THE SUN.

	Rises. A. M.	Sets. P. M.
	7:19	4:33

Incoming Steamships Carrying Mail

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Berengaria	Southampton	Dec. 12
Columbia	Glasgow	Dec. 6
Rosalind	Halifax	Dec. 18
Orisaba	Havana	Dec. 15
Maracaibo	Mayagues	Dec. 11

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Diulio	Naples	Dec. 10
Ydrek	Bremen	Dec. 8
President Adams	London	Dec. 8
Westphalia	Hamburg	Dec. 7
Zeeland	Antwerp	Dec. 9
Munargo	Nassau	Nov. 11
Chicago	Havre	Dec. 9

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Santa Marta	Colon	Dec. 13
Kungsholm	Gothenburg	Dec. 5
Arcadian	Bermuda	Dec. 18
Fort Victoria	Bermuda	Dec. 13
President Roosevelt	Southampton	Dec. 14

DUE FRIDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Levinthan	Southampton	Dec. 13
Canopic	Bremen	Dec. 11
Martha Washington	Naples	Dec. 7

DUE SATURDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Bayern	Hamburg	Dec. 8
Vandyck	Rio Janeiro	Dec. 7
Patria	Naples	Dec. 8

Other Incoming Steamships

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Abangarez	Bocas	Dec. 11
Favorita	Kingston	Dec. 12
Agios Ioannis	Rio Janeiro	Nov. 28

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Dorellan	Antwerp	Dec. 3
Egypt Maru	Lagora	Nov. 17
Esther Dollar	Ponce	Nov. 28
F. R. Kellog	Tampico	Dec. 10
Nordho	Hamburg	Dec. 2
Scottish Bard	Southampton	Dec. 12
Somerset	Copenhagen	Nov. 20
Sudawsconce	Colon	Dec. 8
Vulcano	Oran	Dec. 2
West Keene	Bahia	Nov. 27
West Mahomet	Gibraltar	Nov. 30

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Alvarado	Guayaquil	Dec. 8

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From	Date.
A. F. Luckenbach	San Pedro	Nov. 30
Angela	Palermo	Nov. 24
Brazilier	Antwerp	Dec. 4

DUE FRIDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Cheapstow Castle	Shields	Dec. 5
Chincha	Cristobal	Dec. 6
Hyacinthus	Cape Town	Nov. 13
Mar Caribe	Gibraltar	Dec. 5
Ohian	Los Angeles	Dec. 1
R. B. Hopkins	Colon	Dec. 12
Sangamon	Venice	Nov. 21
Vincent	Havre	Dec. 5
Wekika	Bristol	Dec. 4

DUE SATURDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Eastern Moon	Colon	Dec. 12
H. M. Flagler	Colon	Dec. 13
Sahale	Rotterdam	Dec. 7

Outgoing Steamships Carrying Mail

SAIL TODAY.

Steamer. Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Seydlitz, Bremen	5:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.	Germany (specially addressed).
Veendam, Rotterdam	7:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia (specially addressed).
Pres. Polk, London	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia. (Great Britain, North Ireland, Germany, Northern Europe, Russia, South Africa specially addressed.)
Natikar, Helsingfors	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Denmark, Finland (specially addressed). Northern Europe and Russia.
Lituania, Libau	11:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	
Rosalind, St. Johns	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Newfoundland.
Clan MacIver, Cape Town	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	South Africa (specially addressed).
W. M. Tupper, Jacmel	3:30 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Haiti.
Fort St. George, Hamilton	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Bermuda.
Carrillo, Santa Marta	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Jamaica, Colombia. (Canal Zone, Panama specially addressed).
Boswell, Buenos Aires	5:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Santos, Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay (specially addressed).
Huron, Barahona	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Turks Island, Dominican Republic.
Faria, Paramaribo	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Virgin Islands, Trinidad, Ciudad Bolivar, Guiana.
Lillian Luckenbach, Colon	6:00 P.M.	7:00 P.M.	Canal Zone, Panama, Salvador, Amapala City, Colombia, Equador. (Honduras specially addressed.)

SAIL TOMORROW.

Cleveland, Hamburg	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa and West Asia (specially addressed).
Antilla, Nassau	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Bahamas (specially addressed).
Monterey, Vera Cruz	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Yucatan, Campecha. (Cuba, specially addressed.)
Finland, Colon	11:30 A.M.	6:00 P.M.	Canal Zone, Panama, Amapala City, Colombia and Ecuador. (Cuba and Honduras specially addressed.)

SAIL FRIDAY.

Munargo, Nuevitas	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Bahamas, Inagua and Fortune Islands, Antilla and Nuevitas. (Other parts Cuba specially addressed.)
Baracoa, Cartagena	12:00 M.	5:00 P.M.	Haiti, except Pt. de Paix, Cape Haitien, Gonaives and St. Marc, Colombia. (Other parts of Haiti and Jamaica specially addressed.)
Astrea, Jacmel	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Cape Haitien, Pt. de Paix, Gonaives and St. Marc. (Other parts Haiti specially addressed.)
Sama, Kingston	12:30 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	Jamaica. (Cuba specially addressed.)

SAIL SATURDAY.

Berengaria, Southampton	8:30 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia (Great Britain, Germany, South Africa, Sierra Leone, specially addressed).
Cedric, Liverpool	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Irish Free State. (Other countries specially addressed).
President Harding, Bremen	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia. (Irish Free State specially addressed).
Zeeland, Antwerp			Europe, Africa, West Asia (specially addressed).
York, Bremen	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Germany (specially addressed).
Eastern Star, Helsingfors	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Latvia, Esthonia and Finland (specially addressed).
Arcadian, Hamilton	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Bermuda (specially addressed).
Fort Victoria, Hamilton	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Bermuda.
Matura, Georgetown	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Grenada, St. Vincent, Trinidad, Ciudad Bolivar, Guiana.
Orizaba, Havana	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Cuba (specially addressed).
L. W. Hansen, Santo Domingo City	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Dominican Republic.
San Juan, San Juan	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Porto Rico, Virgin Islands.
Maracaibo, La Guayra	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Curacoa, Venezuela. (Porto Rico specially addressed).
Toloa, Port Limon	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Costa Rica (Canal Zone, Panama and Cuba specially addressed).
Americas Legion, Buenos Aires	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	South Brazil, Argentine, Uruguay and Paraguay.
Teno, Valparaiso	10:30 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	Canal Zone, Panama, Amapala City, Colombia, Ecuador, Bolivia, Chile (Peru and Honduras specially addressed).
Parima, Barbados	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Virgin Islands, West Indies, St. Lucia and Barbados (Guiana, Grenada, St. Vincent and Trinidad specially addressed).
Andania, London	12:00 M.	....	No mails.
Columbia, Glasgow	12:00 M.	....	No mails.

Other Outgoing Steamships

Steamer and Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.	Steamer and Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.
Margrete, Copenhagen	Dec. 22	10:00 A.M.	Segundo, Genoa	Dec. 29	11:00 A.M.
Nathalie, Mancheville	Dec. 22	9:00 A.M.	River Orontes, Alexandria	Dec. 29	12:00 M.
Montana, Hamburg	Dec. 22	11:00 A.M.	Editor, Dunkirk	Dec. 29	12:00 M.
St. John Laurent, Havre	Dec. 22	9:00 A.M.	Chickahominy, London	Dec. 29	11:00 A.M.
Mauretania, Cherbourg	Dec. 22	10:00 A.M.	Washington Maru, Kobe	Dec. 31	10:00 A.M.
Chepstow Castle, C. Town	Dec. 30	12:00 M.	Carlshoim, Helsingfors	Dec. 31	9:00 A.M.
Perseus, Shanghai	Dec. 29	10:00 A.M.			

Foreign Ports—Arrivals and Departures

ARRIVED.

Steamer.	At	Date.
Oltia	Hamburg	Dec. 17
Stanley	Manila	Dec. 17
Bremen	Bremen	Dec. 15
West Kedron	Deikar	Dec. 14
Port Lyttleton	Adelaide	Dec. 15
City of Nepies	Melbourne	Dec. 16
Dromon Castle	Port Natal	Dec. 16
Lefanto	Kenachi	Dec. 16
Colorado	Teljeh	Dec. 16
Olen	Bordeaux	Dec. 13
City of Emeka	Genoa	Dec. 14
Caucasia	Antwerp	Dec. 16

SAILED.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Aquitania	Southampton	Dec. 19
Oscar II	Christiania	Dec. 15
Sierra Vintana	Bremen	Dec. 15
Minnesota	Fayal	Dec. 15
Servia	Havre	Dec. 15
Corila	Bilbos	Dec. 15
Francisco	Antwerp	Dec. 16
Biljadindijk	Rotterdam	Dec. 16
Venezuela	Colon	Dec. 17

Reported by Radio

SS Zeeland (Red Star Line), incoming from Antwerp, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 14, North River, Wednesday forenoon.

SS Duilio (Navigazione Generale Italiana Line), incoming from Genoa, was reported yesterday; no distance given, due at Pier 7, North River, Wednesday afternoon.

SS President Roosevelt (United States Lines), incoming from Bremen, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 3, Hoboken, early Friday.

SS President Adams (United States Lines), incoming from London, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 3, Hoboken, Wednesday forenoon.

SS Chicago (French Line), incoming from Havre, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 57, North River, Wednesday forenoon.

SS Westphalia (Hamburg-American Line), incoming from Hamburg, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 84, North River, Thursday forenoon.

SS York (North German Lloyd), incoming from Bremen, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at pier foot of Sixth Street, Hoboken, Wednesday afternoon.

SS Kingsholm (Swedish-American Line), incoming from Gothenburg, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 57, North River, Thursday forenoon.

Transpacific Mails

The connecting mails close at the G. P. O. and City Hall P. O. Station, New York, at 5:00 P. M. daily, as follows:

Hawaii, via San Francisco	Matsonia	Dec. 21
Japan, Korea and China (specially addressed correspondence only), via Seattle	Shinyo Maru	Dec. 21
Japan, Korea and China (specially addressed correspondence only), via Vancouver, B. C.	Empress of Russia	Dec. 22
Japan, Korea, China, Siam, Siberia, French Indochina, Netherlands East Indies, Straits Settlements, Brunei, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Philippine Islands, via Seattle; also parcel post mails for Japan, Korea, China, Siam, French Indochina, Brunei, Labuan, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Straits Settlements. (Seapost)	President McKinley	Dec. 23
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, Siam, Siberia, French Indochina, Netherlands East Indies, Straits Settlements, Brunei, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Philippine Islands, via San Francisco; also parcel post mail to Japan, Korea, China, Siam, French Indochina, Brunei, Labuan, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Straits Settlements. (Seapost)	President Lincoln	Dec. 24
Hawaii (specially addressed correspondence only), via San Pedro, Cal.	City of Los Angeles	Dec. 24
Hawaii, Samoan Islands, Australia and New Zealand, via San Francisco; also parcel post mails for Samoan Islands, Fiji Islands and Australia. (Note—Letter mails for New Zealand will be disembarked at Honolulu for connection with steamship Makura due there Jan. 12).	Sonoma	Dec. 27
Hawaii (except parcel post), and specially addressed correspondence for Japan, Korea and China, via San Francisco; also parcel post for Fiji Islands	Siberia Maru	Dec. 29
Hawaii, via San Francisco, Cal.	Calawalli	Dec. 31
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Post Office Notices

Postmaster Morgan announces that mails of the following dates: Kobe, Nov. 29; Yokohama, Nov. 30, when arrived per steamer Hakata Maru, were dispatched east from Seattle on Dec. 15, and are due in New York on this morning of Thursday, Dec. 20.

Postmaster Morgan announces that mails of the following dates: Auckland, Nov. 26; Wellington, Nov. 27, which arrived at San Francisco per steamer Maunganui, were dispatched east on Dec. 16, and are due in New York on the afternoon of Thursday, Dec. 20.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CHARLES A. BIRCH, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, Dec. 19th, 1923, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 70 West 36th Street, and thereafter at 281 Grand St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of men's and women's clothing, millinery supplies, furniture, fixtures, etc. THEODORE I. STURTZ, Receiver.

MAX WILL

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Bank and business references required. *Rate 15 cents per word.*

CAPITAL WANTED.

FIRM established 20 years, selling entire country, is about to engage in manufacture of several articles which they have been harvesting for years for other manufacturers but are unable to fill orders on account of demand; seeks outside capital in the amount of $10,000; sound proposition that will stand investigation. W 836 Times Downtown.

CONCERN, established over 50 years, needs $50,000 for reorganization and expansion purposes; underwriting or syndicate only; no stock seeking entertained. T4 Times, 103 Broadway.

PARTNER with $10,000 to $20,000, in established pawnbroking business; good location; partner retiring owing to ill health; quick action; no triflers. G 109 Times.

PARTNER connect with manufacturer high quality brassware; long established and well connected; $6,000 to $8,000 required. B 813 Times.

$10,000 required for expanding canned food proposition; will give half interest to right party; principals only. W 779 Times Downtown.

GREAT opportunity for bright man who desires profitable business; must devote time with moderate investment. W 853 Times.

STOCK BROKER to sell large issue for engineering company for expansion; very attractive. C 314 Times.

MAN to invest $20,000 in going engineer concern, to act as treasurer with good salary. C 313 Times.

EXPERIENCED manager for grocery chain store business, with at least $10,000 capital. McKinney & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

MANUFACTURING basic electrical material; require $25,000; investment secured. A 196 Times.

PARTNER wanted in established parquet flooring business. B 286 Times.

Brokers.

CAPITAL with or without services; can place units $5,000 to $100,000 in established businesses yielding large profits. H. M. Hirsch & Co., 28 years' banking experience, 35 Broadway.

CAPITAL TO INVEST.

WANTED—A man who has from $40,000 to $60,000 to invest desires to buy an interest in or all of a well established and paying business; manufacturing preferred. All other businesses will be considered. W 310 Times.

I HAVE money for investment in real estate; what have you for sale? Write to "Advertiser," Room 617, 220 W. 42d St.

AUTOMOBILE mechanic, electrician, would invest $1,000; wants partner to enter garage business. G 386 Times.

WILL invest $500 with services established business which can stand investigation. A 198 Times Harlem.

WILL invest with services up to $5,000 in good paying business, jobbing or manufacturing. G 992 Times Downtown.

WILL invest small amount for half interest in going business; mention particulars. B 496 Times.

$7,500 TO invest and services with active concern; must stand investigation. Y 2011 Times Annex.

AM prepared to invest capital with active services in growing chain store business; will be full details. P 272 Times.

YOUNG salesman, hustler, will invest $3,000 with services. B 881 Times Downtown.

RETAILER will buy established men's clothing store. B 853 Times Downtown.

Brokers.

WILL finance manufacturers for expansion; principals; no brokers. W. F., 217 Times.

BUSINESS CONNECTIONS.

NEW YORK REPRESENTATIVE.

Established automobile association wants a live, capable sales executive or organization to develop sales of its service in the metropolitan district; this service is of exceptional merit and is readily sold to motorists at $10 per year; an exclusive contract, with large immediate returns and permanent yearly renewals, will be given the qualifying party; office space will also be furnished; answers will be treated confidentially and interviews granted upon receipt of letter. W 291 Times.

SALES OUTLET wanted by large manufacturer in New York district who has developed an armored flooring which will withstand the hardest usage; material can be sold wherever floor or road maintenance is a serious problem; liberal commission allowed, with exclusive territory, to a reliable, experienced salesman or sales organization that can give proper assurance for steady business. Y 2015 Times Annex.

MERCHANT OF EXPERIENCE AND STANDING, WITH GOOD BANKING AND COMMERCIAL CONNECTIONS, SEEKS PERMANENT ASSOCIATION WITH LEGITIMATE ENTERPRISE THAT WILL STAND MINUTEST SCRUTINY. ANSWER T. C., 936 8TH AV.

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MAIL ORDER NEWS, 600 8th Av., explains mail order business. Christmas number mailed 25c.

PARTNER, advertising business; $1,000 required; active party; references required. J 870 Times.

RELIABLE party, New York office, desires agency for staple line. F 161 Times.

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FOR SALE—A laundry doing a business of $700 a week; all equipment; large mortgage taken; chance for large increase of business; farms and stores, all kinds of business for sale; farms, large and small; lowest prices asked. Norwich Land Title and Insurance Co., Norwich, Conn. New York agent wanted.

BEAUTY PARLOR, one of the handsomest in New York, recently opened; owner can handle it on account of other business; would entertain a partner to operate it or would sell a half interest in it; one who has a similar business of reputation preferred. G. L. 110 Times.

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Hotel, finest section Catskill; wonderful location, near lake; thoroughly modern, fully equipped; fifty-two rooms, private cottage, garage, outhouses; price $10,000, cash $5,000. Garcia, attorney, 30 Broad St. Broad 5138.

FOR SALE—Stationery and bank tin box factory, one of the best in the U. S.; within 100 miles of New York; always made money; reason for selling, wish to retire. Phone (Mr. Lee) 12601 World Tower Building.

VARIETY store, stock and fixtures practically new; Hoboken; lease optional; a 1 opportunity for party desiring independent business; sacrifice for $3,500, quick cash. Phone Hoboken 6118, or write C. 402 Times.

$60,000 CASH required to purchase going manufacturing business in metal household necessities; established 35 years; owner retiring; shows unusually large profits annually. B 250 Times Downtown.

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LONG-ESTABLISHED attractive hardware and automobile accessory store in good section of Brooklyn; rent reasonable; owner retiring. Phone Pulaski 2416.

REAL estate office in Bay Ridge for sale; disagreement of partners; many listings and clients; good section. F 2004 Times.

WELL to man or woman big paying mail business; great opportunity; $1,000 required; references. Call O'Brien, 109 Flatbush Av., Brooklyn. Prospect 4560.

BAKERY and confectionary store; well established; $20,000 cash required; splendid opportunity for business man. Address Box 76, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

IDEAL little flower shop, city, $2,500; chance for lady or gentleman; sacrifice account of health. G 254 Times.

DISPLAY fixture business for sale at sacrifice; established leader; excellent patronage; 119 West Broadway.

MEN'S furnishings shop, Broadway location; low rent, small investment. B 280 Times.

GREAT bargain; cafeteria; long lease; reasonable rent. Rose Vogel, 144 West 34th, Circle 2266.

MODERN and fully equipped machine shop; Newark building; reasonable rent. F 276 Times.

WELL-ESTABLISHED multigraphing business; Times Square district; owner retiring; quality. Bryant 5235, 1215, 1 Times Square.

FOR SALE.

PATENT for sale; rabbit trap; write owner for particulars. 177 Washington St., Brooklyn. L. A. Alegria.

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GARAGE, 40's and 6th Av.; substantial profits; lease from landlord; $15,000; security only. Di Pietro-Rumble, 110 West 42d.

GARAGE, Broadway 2nd Amsterdam; capacity 100; long lease; $25,000 cash, balance terms. Francis Phillips, 47 W. 42d.

GARAGE, Bay Ridge; residential section; 17,500 feet; long lease; $4,000 cash, balance terms. Francis Phillips, 47 West 42d.

MOVIE, 1,000, well paying, medium; cash; trial; small theatre also. Melnick, Room 1001, 110 West 40th.

TAILORING and cleaning, doing $35,000, on 50th St.; wonderful possibilities; owner has other business. W 545 Times.

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LOANS on machinery, printing plants, real estate, mortgages, &c. Wiedaver, 175 5th Av. Ashland 7337-7338.

CASH on accounts, rents, mortgages, other collateral. Davies, 57 Williams. Bryad 4948.

CAPITAL to loan on textile stocks, new jobbing or similar business financed; state particulars. W 545 Times.

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WANT ALL-UNIVERSITY BIBLE

Chicago Professors Propose to Translate the Old Testament.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—A movement has been started at the University of Chicago for a new English translation of the Old Testament, as a companion piece for Dr. Edgar J. Goodspeed's New Testament translation, to make an "all-university Bible," it was learned today. The plan would include the naming of a committee of translators headed by Dr. J. M. P. Smith, Professor of Old Testament literature and editor of The American Journal of Semitic Languages and Literature.

Dr. Smith said that a new English translation of the Old Testament would be exceptionally difficult, as it consists of books written by different authors in different styles.

"The Old Testament is a literary masterpiece, while the New Testament's value is in its content rather than in its form," he said, adding that there was not much similarity between the Old and New Testaments.

WHITE PLAINS FOR COOLIDGE

Republican City Committee's Endorsement Is Held Significant.

Special to The New York Times.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 18.—The Republican City Committee of White Plains unanimously endorsed Calvin Coolidge tonight for the nomination for President. The resolution was offered by Charles C. Penno and seconded by Deputy County Clerk Frank Coffey and Frank E. Clarke.

The meeting was presided over by Henry R. Barrett, the Chairman, who is also Secretary of the Westchester County Republican Committee, of which William L. Ward is the head. Mr. Ward heads the national movement in New York State for the nomination of Mr. Coolidge, and the action of the White Plains organization is considered significant because it comes from the county seat of Westchester, one of the Republican strongholds in this State.

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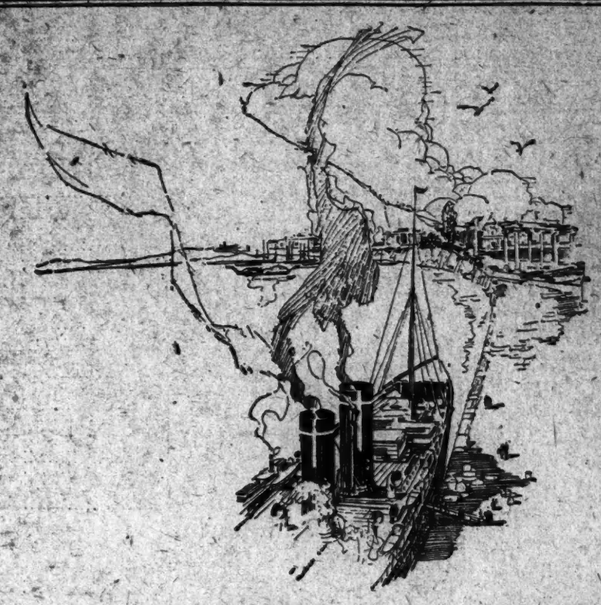

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